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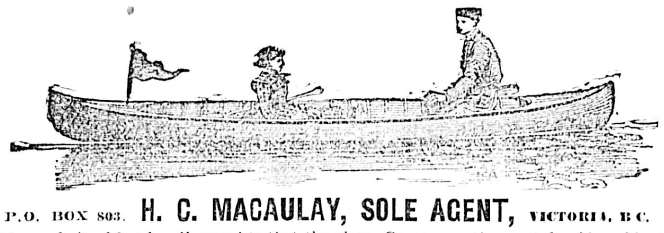

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CABLE NEWS.

Another Duel Arising Out of Panama Complications—Earthquake in Sicily.

Death of Cardinal Apollenia—May Day Demonstrations in Europe.

Among the Icebergs.

LONDON, April 2.—Captain Lillia, of the British ship John Cooke, which sailed from San Francisco on November 1 and reached Queenstown to-day, reports that on the night of January 14 he saw a full-rigged ship sailing among the icebergs. Her destruction, he says, was inevitable. The John Cooke got clear of the icebergs after many hours of peril and several narrow escapes. Captain Lillia estimates that the length of the largest iceberg was fifteen miles and its height 700 feet.

Cardinal Apollenia Dead.

ROME, April 3.—Achilles Apollenia, cardinal deacon, died to-day. He was born May 13, 1823.

Another French Cabinet.

PARIS, April 3.—M. C. Dupuy has consented to form a ministry, M. Melin having failed in the task. It is understood that M. Paul Louis Peuytrat, deputy from les Bouches du Rhone, who was Minister of Finance in 1888, will accept the Ministry of Finance; that M. Raymond Poincarre will be Minister of Education; M. Develle, Foreign Affairs; M. Albert Vigor, Agriculture; General Louiselleon, War; Admiral Rieunier, Marine; M. Theophile de Lacasse, deputy from Ariene, is mentioned in connection with the Ministry of Justice, Public Instruction, or the Interior.

Fatal Drowing Accident.

LONDON, April 3.—A yacht carrying sixteen persons capsized in the Crouch, a short distance from Burnham this afternoon. Five persons were drowned. The rest clung to the yacht until they were rescued by a boat man, who put out from the shore when the accident occurred.

May Day Demonstrations.

VIENNA, April 3.—Dr. Adler, the most conspicuous Socialist agitator in the city, delivered an address in favor of Universal Suffrage before a meeting of 4,000 workingmen this evening. Two-thirds of the adult males in Austria, he said, had no votes. Only such semi-barbarous countries as Russia and Spain, were disgraced by such an inequality of citizens before the law. Unless the Government took steps to right the wrong, the suffrage question was likely to find its solution in a social catastrophe. Dr. Ellebroge, a lawyer, in addressing a thousand factory operatives in Horisdorf, described as unprecedented the misery of the Vienna poor during last winter. Even now, he said, 26,000 workingmen in the country were homeless. Many of them had left their families to starve because they could not endure the sight of their suffering children. Both meetings passed resolutions in favor of making May Day demonstrations.

Fire and Heavy Loss of Life.

VIENNA, April 3.—Ninety houses in Talienpoechlarn, on the Danube, were burned to the ground to-day. Fifteen dead bodies have been removed from the ruins, and twelve more are known to be under the ashes. Ten persons whose fate has not been ascertained are missing.

Italian Legation Raised.

PARIS, April 3.—Le Temps to-day states that Italy, following the example of England, France and Germany, will raise her legation at Washington to the dignity of an ambassador.

Another Fife.

LONDON, April 13.—The Duchess of Fife, eldest daughter of the Prince of Wales, gave birth to a girl this evening.

Panama Canal Concessions.

PANAMA, April 3.—The conditions upon which the Colombian Government has made the further canal concession dependent are so severe that it is doubtful if they will be accepted. A deposit of six million francs is required, and the plant, machinery, and other property of the company must be delivered to the government.

A Panama Duel.

LONDON, April 3.—M. Andrieux, ex-prefect of police, who has figured so prominently in the Panama exposures, fought a duel on Saturday, near Paris, with Deputy Henry Marieta, the well known Radical and vigorous opponent of General Boulanger. Neither was hurt. The cause of the duel was the antagonism between Andrieux and Marieta, on the subject of the Panama exposures. The name of Deputy Marieta, who is editor of the Radical, was at one time mentioned in connection with the Panama transactions.

The Pope and King Humbert.

ROME, April 2.—The Vatican has announced that the Pope will not grant an audience to any royal personages of the Roman Catholic faith who come to Rome to attend the silver wedding of King Humbert and Queen Marguerite. This decision will apply only to representatives of Catholic sovereigns. In the cases of Protestant sovereigns who attend the wedding no such general rule has been made.

IS IT BOODLING?

Exposures In Regard to Payments Made in Connection With the Arbitration Commission.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Disclosures with regard to the Behring sea commission expenditures excite surprised comment. The arrangements for the representation of this country at the conference were made by Gen. Foster, evidently with the determination that the staff should not lack wealth with which to make a display. Looking at it in that light, there are some people who are willing to admit that the ex-secretary had the right idea, but think that he carried it to an extreme. For instance, they do not see why the paymaster of the commission, whose duties occupy no more than one or two days at the outside in every month; should be allowed so large a sum for his expenses over and above his per diem and army salary. In fact, they fail to see why a paymaster is necessary at all, and his duties could have been just as well performed by one of the clerks or even by one of the commissioners themselves.

In view of the statements which have appeared concerning allowances made to different persons employed in connection with the case of the United States before the Behring Sea arbitration tribunal, the Secretary of State sent to the counsel of the United States in Paris a dispatch, from which the following is quoted: "Neither the state nor the treasury department is responsible for the mischievous publication. The administration will do anything in its power to maintain the cause of the United States and to support our agent and counsel before the tribunal of arbitration."

PARIS, April 2.—Ex-Secretary of State Foster was called upon to-day in regard to the cable dispatch alleging that members of the Behring Sea Commission were drawing pay from the State and Treasury departments. Mr. Foster said: "I have nothing to say one way or the other. I am here as the representative of the United States Government. Attacks of this sort concern the Government I represent, inasmuch as they injure the integrity of its representatives. If the Government will not protect its representatives it must find others. In a word, my official position prevents me from replying to press attacks."

BALFOUR IN ULSTER.

Enthusiastic Demonstrations in Honor of the Late Chief Secretary for Ireland.

The Conservatives Will Resist Home Rule to the Utmost Possible Degree.

BELFAST, April 3.—Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, Conservative leader in the House of Commons, and formerly Chief Secretary for Ireland, arrived in Belfast to-day, to deliver addresses in support of the opposition of the Ulster Unionists to Home Rule. A vast concourse greeted Mr. Balfour on his arrival, and thousands of Unionists cheered loudly as he made his appearance. The multitude was so enthusiastic that the people took the horses out of the carriage which bore the Conaervative statesman, and eagerly sought the honor of drawing the vehicle through the streets. There was an extensive display of flags, and bands playing Orange and Loyalist tunes. Numerous deputations presented a formal greeting to the ex-secretary, dwelling upon the loyalty of Ulster to the union with Great Britain and extolling the service of Mr. Balfour to the cause. Mr. Balfour replied with an earnest declaration of the resolution of the Conservatives to resist Home Rule to the utmost. At Larne, 15½ miles from Belfast, Mr. Balfour also had an enthusiastic greeting and listened to an address in behalf of the Ulster Unionists, to which he delivered an appropriate reply from the Conservative standpoint.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Arrival of Eligible Settlers From Nebraska—Arbor Day—Presentation to a Teacher.

WINNIPEG, April 3.—A party of 250 families from Nebraska arrived from that State and proceeded West. They intend settling at Olds, on the C. & E. branch, where a number of their neighbors took up land last year. They are far above the average settlers, and are well provided with means and stock.

May 11 has been proclaimed as Arbor Day in Manitoba.

D. J. Coggin, late principal of the Normal School, was presented with a solid silver tea service, on leaving here to take the position of Superintendent of Education for the Northwest Territories at Regina. The present was given by the teachers of Manitoba.

It has been decided to hold the next reciprocity meeting in St. Paul on June 5th and 6th. This action was taken at a conference held at the Commercial Club, St. Paul.

John Nelson, of Whitewood, Assa., lost his building by fire.

The residence of Dr. Gouding, at Virden, was burned yesterday.

Williams, the boy charged with incendiarism, was dismissed at the police court today with a warning.

FIGHT IN A CHURCH COURT.

Unseemly Displays Before the Presbytery of Chicago—Muscular Christianity Aroused.

CHICAGO, April 3.—A disgraceful fight, during which several blows were exchanged and more or less blood was shed, occurred at the annual spring meeting of the Presbytery of Chicago this afternoon at the Belden avenue church, of which Rev. P. D. Scott is pastor. The altercation was caused by the attempt of James C. Ingles to prefer charges of frivolous conduct against his pastor, Rev. W. Totheroh, of the Hyde Park Presbyterian church. Mr. Ingles advanced towards the pastor's stanch friend, Mr. Freeman, and shaking his fist in Freeman's face shouted: "You are a liar." "You are another," came back the reply, when others present crowded in and averted further violence. The charges were once before heard by Dr. Totheroh's congregation, and the pastor was sustained at that hearing. Ingles had a physical encounter with another member of the congregation and was thrown from the church. He declared this afternoon that he would take the charges to the General Assembly.

Germania Club.

The Germania Club held its regular monthly dance in Harmony hall last evening. The social was well attended, and it is needless to say much enjoyed. As usual the Bantly family furnished the musical part of the programme, and the refreshments served were plentiful and choice.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Serious Fight Between Italian Miners—A Freeze-Out in Colorado.

A Fire of Some Magnitude in Ohio—Fatal Effects of a Locomotive Explosion.

U. S. and Canadian Labor.

SUSPENSION BRIDGE, N.Y., April 3.—A decision rendered by Collector J. J. Lowe of this port promises to terminate the bitter rivalry that has existed for years between the laborers on the American side of the river and those on the Canadian side. It costs much less to live in Canada than in the United States, consequently the workmen accross the border have the advantage over their American brethren. Finally an adjustment has been brought about by Major Lowe's interpretation of the alien contract labor labor law, which he thinks relates to contracts made in a foreign country only. According to this reading of the law, a contract made in the United States, although made with a foreigner, is not prohibited by any existing law. The collector says he has no authority to close the gates against foreign laborers, hence the laborers on this side will have to retire with their complaint. The customs have only lately been vested with the power to adjust immigration and alien labor troubles, and Collector Lowe is now ordering the disposition of scores of complaints that have been entered by domestic laborers.

World's Fair Finances.

CHICAGO, April 2.—President Higginbotham has issued his annual report to the stockholders of the World's Columbian Exposition. The following is the statement of receipts and expenditures to March 31, 1893: Receipts—capital stock, $5,553,760.80; city of Chicago, $5,000,000; souvenir coins, $957,532; debenture bonds, $4,094,500; interest, $88,073; special souvenir coin fund, $1,110,000; gate receipts, $234,853 01; miscellaneous, $87,621.10; liabilities, $295,594.75; deposits in escrow, $73,607.50; total, $17,496,432.16. Expenditures—construction expenses, $14,411,506.74; general expenses, $2,297,319.74; total, $16,708,820.48; assets on hand, $787,605.68.

Big Amnesty Meeting.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The municipal council of the Irish National League and the representatives of several other Irish societies of this city met this afternoon to organize a plan for a big amnesty meeting to be held in this city in the near future. The purpose of this meeting will be to urge this Government to demand of England the freedom of the Irishmen now incarcerated in English prisons, charged with being concerned in the dynamite explosions in London nearly ten years ago. It will also be demanded that the ban of exile be removed from Irishmen now living in America. A committee of ways and means was appointed to devise plans for the meeting and to report at the next meeting of the council. A committee was also appointed to confer with the other Irish societies and to endeavor to secure their support in the undertaking.

The Geary Chinese Law.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The Treasury department has received no information, official or otherwise, of the illegal action of the Six Companies in recommending legal resistance to the provisions of the Geary Chinese law. As to the registration, preparations have been made for registering all Chinese who may apply to the internal revenue officers before May 5, but beyond this no action has been taken by the department.

The Engineers' Strike.

CLEVELAND, April 3.—Grand Chief Arthur, of the Locomotive Engineers, refused, when informed of the adverse decision of the United States district court, to discuss the matter. "It's all right," he said. "The engineers will get through somehow. I don't care to say what we will do next, but I have not given the subject a moment's thought."

Brazil at the Fair.

NEW YORK, April 3.—A party of eight Brazilian commissioners to the World's Fair were passengers on the steamship Seguaranca to-day, and are at present staying at the Savoy hotel. They brought with them 500 tons of merchandise representing the products of the country, besides literature, works of art and statuary.

A Bloody Row.

LOUISVILLE, Col., April 3.—A bloody fight took place here about 1 o'clock this morning, about twenty Italians being the participants. Knives and guns were to argue the important points. All day yesterday and late in the evening heavy drinking had been indulged in by the Italians, and as a result of the wind-up, which occurred early this morning, Charles Marihiando is lying at the point of death with a bullet hole through his breast. Antonio Calvetta and Jack Andre are lying very low with cuts about their heads, arms and breasts. They will probably recover. Another Italian, whose name cannot be learned, is very badly cut. Several arrests have been made and more will follow. The Italians are very reticent about the cause of the trouble, but it seems to have been simply a drunken row.

A Freezeout Game.

DENVER, April 3.—An important decision was rendered by Judge Reiner in the United States Court in the case of J. Warren Brown et al. vs. the Republican Mountain Silver Mines, Limited, et al., a corporation organized under the laws of Great Britain, which has its principal business office in London. About four-fifths of the capital stock of the company is held by the United States stockholders, the other fifth being held in England. The English stockholders attempted to freeze out the Americans. In order to carry out this purpose, on the 8th June, 1889, the secretary sent out notices from the London office calling for a winding up meeting to be held on June 16. These notices were sent to the American stockholders with the full knowledge that it would be impossible for them to be present. The reason given for this was not sufficient for Judge Reiner, who decided that this action was an attempt to deprive the American stockholders of their rights, and that a receiver be appointed for the company.

Boiler Explosion.

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., April 3.—The boiler of a shifting engine exploded at this place on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad to-day. Three brakemen were fatally scalded and otherwise injured.

A Town Scourged.

COLUMBUS, O., April 3.—The city of Florence, this state, is in the midst of a quarter million dollar fire. Fire broke out early this morning in a grocery store, and was caused by the explosion of a kerosene lamp. At least a score of buildings were destroyed, among them the Central hotel, Bank of Carolina, city hall, Knights of Pythias hall, in which were stored all the paraphernalia of the various secret societies in town, and the Derrick machinery building. Several firemen were injured by falling walls. The estimated loss at noon was $250,000.

A Literary Bonaparte.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Prince Roland Bonaparte, who has attained distinction in the scientific world by his researches in anthropology and American archæology, arrived here to-day with a party of friends, who are going to make a tour of the continent and visit the World's Fair at Chicago. The Prince is the author of twenty-three books and will collect material for another before returning to France. For this purpose he will visit Indian posts in the West and Northwest. He will call on President Cleveland before going West. He was here in 1888, and says he likes the American people.

Rolling Stock Burned.

NEWARK, N.J., April 3.—The car house of the Newark and Orange Electric railway at Roseville was burned to the ground at 2:20 this morning, and 26 cars, valued at $3,000 each, and two sleepers were destroyed. The flames spread with such rapidity that before the firemen arrived the building was a mass of flames, and all that could be done was to save the adjoining property. Employees of the road succeeded in running 11 cars out of the stables, when one car jumped the track and further efforts to save the company's property had to be abandoned. The fire is supposed to have been caused by the power wires. The loss will reach $150,000.

Contempt of Court.

TOLEDO, Ohio, April 3.—This morning Judge Ricks, the United States circuit court judge, rendered a decision in the case of the Lake Shore engineers who are obeying the laws of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers not to handle Ann Arbor freight, as there is a strike on that road. The court held that Engineer Lannon, inasmuch as he was ordered to move cars by the officials of the company, but did not do so until ordered by the Brotherhood officers after the boycott raised, was guilty of contempt of court. The seven other men were discharged.

Military and Medical Inspection.

MOBILE, Ala., April 3.—Major-General O. O. Howard, chief of the department of the East, who arrived here yesterday, is on his way South on an inspection trip. Gen. Howard says his visit is to observe personally if the southern army posts have good water and perfect drainage, in view of the possibility of a cholera invasion this spring. He is also inspecting the forts in the South and inquiring what should be done to properly fortify them. The General says the plan of defences now held in favor is to place artillery regiments at or near the coast ports. He also says that there is a prospect of erecting another military post in Florida. He inspected the post at Atlanta, which was recently enlarged and improved. An Eastern regiment will shortly be ordered there.

Esquimaux Not Content.

CHICAGO, April 2.—Proceedings were instituted in the Circuit court which may obliterate the Esquimau village which was established on the World's Fair grounds last fall. The village is inhabited by about forty natives of the icy regions, all of whom were generally supposed to be thoroughly pleased with life at Chicago. Quite a different state of affairs, however, is vouchsafed by one Peter Mesher, who has delegated himself the agent of at least five of the Esquimaux, whom he means to have liberated from the village confines. Mesher represents that he is a friend and countryman—being a native of Labrador—of those who constitute the village. There are five who, Mesher alleges, are being forcibly detained and kept within the village domain against their will.

Mrs. MacKay.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Mrs. John W. MacKay arrived on Saturday morning on the American liner Paris from Southampton. She comes from London for the first time in years, in answer to a call from her husband, who was supposed to be in a critical condition at the time she was summoned. When the Paris reached quarantine Mrs. MacKay received a budget of telegrams indicating that her husband's condition had been slightly improved since communications had been cut off between her and San Francisco. When Mrs. MacKay stepped ashore with her youngest son, Clarence, she seemed to be in the best of spirits and health, and greeted some American friends with the greatest cordiality. Mrs. MacKay went at once to the Hotel Waldorf. The plan of leaving immediately for California was given up after hearing favorable reports from Mr. MacKay. The start for San Francisco will be made on Tuesday.

DYSPEPSIA CURED.

GENTLEMEN,—I was troubled with dyspepsia for about four years. I noticed an advertisement of Burdock Blood Bitters, so I started to use it and soon found that there was nothing to equal it. It took just three bottles to effect a perfect cure in my case.

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A special line of tapestry carpets 1½ yards wide in three qualities are a new feature at Weiler Bros.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Another Vessel's Anchor Chains Cut—Evidence Found on the Ship "Tacoma."

Agitators on the Mainland—Incoming Passengers—The Latest From Kootenay Mines.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, April 3.—A public meeting is to be called shortly to discuss the political separation of the Mainland from the Island. A committee of citizens is busy looking up the legal aspects of the question.

Four hundred and sixty-five Chinese and ninety saloon passengers will arrive by the Empress of Japan. Two hundred Mongolians are booked for Havana's constantly increasing markets.

The Coquitlam has arrived with 4,300 pounds of fish.

The Chilian ship Atacama, which arrived here on Friday, had on board S. W. Dexter, wife and three daughters, survivors of the wreck of the ship Clarinda. They were picked up by a Chilian bark and transferred.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, April 3.—Louis F. Post, of New York, lectured here to-night on Single Tax to a fair audience.

Col. Percy Dickinson has left for New York to report the result of negotiations and arrangements in connection with the Burrard Inlet & Fraser Valley railway to President Oakes, of the Northern Pacific railway.

The following are the Police court returns for the month of March: Number of persons charged in the Police court, 15; convictions, 10; dismissed or otherwise disposed of, 4; committed to asylum, 1; aggravated assaults, 2; drunk and incapable, 2; infraction of juvenile act, 2; infraction of the fire by-law, 1; infraction of trades licenses by-law, 3; infraction of sanitary by-law, 1; vagrants, 2; amount of penalties imposed, $77:50; amount uncollected, $3 50; amount collected, $74.

Yesterday and to-day frequent flurries of snow fell, but melted immediately. The snow is as low now on the foothills of the Pitt mountains as in January.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, April 3.—Bill Nye and A. P. Burbank appeared here Saturday night before a large audience. The entertainment they provided was excellent, far superior to anything of the kind that has been given in Nanaimo before, but unfortunately a portion of the audience were unable to appreciate Mr. Burbank's magnificent elocutionary powers, or the dry American humor of his famous partner, Bill Nye. Both gentlemen had to ask for quiet. That such was the case was greatly regretted by the larger and more intelligent part of the audience, who were disappointed at the enforced curtailment of the programme, and felt keenly the lack of appreciation shown by many who should have known better.

On Monday evening next, Louis F. Post will address a meeting in the Opera House, at which Mayor Haslam will preside.

Wong Chong, the Chinaman who was so severely burned whilst rescuing his child from a fire two weeks ago, was buried yesterday with full Celestial rites, having succumbed to his severe injuries on Friday night.

A Chinaman in the employ of the E. & N. Railway Co. met with a serious and probably fatal accident yesterday morning. He was hanging on the rear car of the north bound train from Victoria. When passing Northfield the unfortunate Mongolian lost his hold and fell on the track. A hand car following behind at a rapid rate ran over him before it could be stopped. When picked up the Chinaman was found to be severely injured, and he was taken to the Chinese camp at Southfield, where his injuries were attended to.

It is thought that the anchor chains of the ship Columbia recently arrived from San Francisco, and now waiting to load a cargo of coal at Departure Bay, have received the same treatment as those of the ship Tacoma. On Saturday the captain had occasion to lift one of the anchors, but when the chain was hauled in the anchor was missing. The severed or broken link is still below water, and until it is recovered nothing definite will be known as to what caused the parting. The anchor and missing links are now to be dragged for. Since the ship arrived in port the weather has been calm, and there has been no unusual strain on the chains, which were in a thoroughly sound condition when last used.

On Saturday an Indian undergoing two months' imprisonment for whisky stealing broke loose from the chain gang, which was at the time working on Kennedy street. The Indian was fleet of foot and made off swiftly through the bush in the direction of Nanaimo river. One of the guards, McMunn, gave chase, but after a long run finally lost track of the fugitive, who was heading for Cowichan, whence he came convicted of theft in charge of Constable Maitland Dougall.

The duty collected at this port during the month of March amounted to $4,848.22

Several of the non-union crew of the bark Detroit, now loading at Departure Bay, deserted last night.

Steamship Wellington, Capt. Salmond, arrived Saturday night from San Francisco to load a cargo of Wellington coal. The ship India, Capt. Morrison, arrived yesterday; she will load at the Northfield wharf. Ship J. B. Brown, Capt. Maguire, is loaded; she sails for 'Frisco to-day.

The saw with which the supposed cutting of the ship Tacoma's chains at San Francisco was effected has been found in the orward part of the hold of that vessel. The instrument was an ordinary iron wire saw. When found it was partially concealed under the sand. To have placced it there the party doing so must have gone down into the hold. It was impossible to have thrown it from the chain lockers or deck. No mark of any kind, save of rust stains, was on the instrument.

NELSON.

(From the Nelson Tribune.)

A fine piece of ore was brought down to Kaslo last week from the Big Bertha, which assayed 2,000 ounces silver to the ton. The report from the claim was so flattering that E. E. Coy and Henry Smith, the owners, started up to inspect their holdings. The tunnel has been advanced fifty feet along the ledge during the past month.

Ernest Harrup and Lee W. Parkinson have commenced the summer's operations on the Lincoln claim on Spring creek, about one mile from the wagon road, Kaslo slope. The ledge is from three to four feet wide, and carries from 12 to 18 inches of pay ore, a number of assays showing from 63 to 79 ounces silver, and from 65 to 75 per cent. lead per ton. Quite a quantity of this ore is on the dump, and the vein has been stripped for a distance of 400 feet, showing a pay streak all the way.

James Brady, superintendent of the Thunder Hill mine in East Kootenay, writes that the mine is looking splendid, and that the concentrator will be in full swing shortly. The unusual severity of the winter has impeded progress.

Albert Barrett is at Nelson purchasing mining supplies. He and his partners are working on a claim on the east side of Kootenay lake, near the mouth of Lafrance creek. The claim has a ledge seven feet wide, the ore being free milling gold.

L. R. Lindsay, of Spokane, is at Nelson on his way up to the Kaslo-Slocan district to do assessment work on several claims in which he is interested. He reports less snow up here than down around Spokane.

A. W. Holley, secretary of the company opening up placer ground near the mouth of the Pend d'Oreille river, says his company put forty men at work on Monday, and that with ordinary good luck sluicing will begin in June. Some three and a half miles of the flume and ditch are yet to be built.

George W. Hughes, the freighter, asked as to the ore shipments from the mines in Slocan district, said that had development work in the mines been as far advanced on January 1 as at this time, the number of tons shipped would have corresponded very nearly to the estimates made last fall; as it is, however, the total tonnage is a little short of the estimates. The Kaslo road was in better condition this month than at any time during the winter, and his teams easily, even now, bring full loads to the wharf at Kaslo. Mr. Hughes has great faith in the future of the district, and is directly interested in mines as well as freight outfits. He has a claim on Carpenter creek, the ore from which gives assay returns of 120 ounces in silver and 81 per cent. lead.

The South Kootenay Board of Trade's certificate of incorporation has been received from Ottawa. It covers the whole of South Kootenay. Its first secretary is George A. Bigelow, merchant, Nelson. The charter members will elect the other officers on April 15.

Work has been suspended on all the mines in Trail Creek district except the O.K gold claim on Sheep creek. The reason given therefor by E. S. Topping, who came up to Nelson on Tuesday, is a lack of supplies. Work will be resumed as soon as the trails are free from snow, which will be in about a month.

The London Mercantile Association, Limited, of London, England, is represented by Jowett & Chadbourn, who act as the agents in British Columbia. Thus far all property acquired by them has been purchased or bonded in the name of their agents. The first acquisition was the Franklin & McGovern mining properties, situate in the Slocan district, consisting of the Great Western and other claims. Work has been pushed with great vigor on this property, principally the Great Western, since August last. A tunnel has been run on the vein about 300 feet, and together with a short upper tunnel and crosscuts makes nearly 400 feet of underground work. They have exposed a strong vein of high-grade galena ore, varying from eight to eighteen inches in width. The ore has been left in place as far as possible by extending the level on the side of the ore. The vein lies between plumbaginous slate for a foot wall and a porphyry dyke as the hanging wall. Assays of the ore range from 100 to 300 ounces of silver. A force of six men have been pushing work all winter. Work was shut down on March 1, but it is expected to recommence again about May 1, when the snow will have disappeared and there will be less danger from snowslides. They have purchased and bonded several properties adjoining the Great Western, such as the Stormount, Sadie, and Northern Bell, upon which work will commence in the spring.

Their second purchase was the Read & Robertson property in Four Mile camp, five claims in all, and later the Grouse, Packer, and Jenny Lind, adjoining claims, were acquired. No work has been done on these properties, but it is the intention of the company to work a large force of men on them as soon as the weather will permit. The surface showing on the Read & Robertson is second to none in the Slocan district. A strong vein of high-grade galena ore crops out boldly for over 1,000 feet. A general assay from samples taken along the croppings the entire distance gave 142 ounces silver. The property lies on the ridge between Carpenter and Four Mile creeks, extending towards Four Mile, and will probably be worked from that side. Mr. Chadbourn has just purchased two more claims further down and adjoining, and has made locations of bottom ground reaching down to and across Four Mille, and they have now seventeen claims in this group. Mr. Jowett lately consummated a deal at Vancouver, whereby he acquires the Haskins group of mines for the same company, and is now in England to arrange for the development of this property on a large scale. The property consists of ten or more claims, and is considered the largest and richest discovery yet made in that district. Jowett & Chadbourn have already expended over $25,000 for their company in development work and first payments, which is but the commencement of their operations, which must, in order to carry out their already planned work, absorb a large amount of capital.

W. H. Smith, of New Denver, arrived in Nelson on Tuesday by the Ainsworth. He came over the Kaslo road on Monday and reports it in fair condition.

Charles G. Griffith, representative of the company operating smelters at Great Falls and East Helena, Montana, arrived in Nelson on Friday. He has made several trips to this district as a sight-seer, but is now here on business. Heretofore the smelters which he represents drew their supply of lead ores from the Cœur d'Alenes principally, but that supply is now being greatly reduced owing to the shutting down of several of the largest of the producing mines. The ores of the Slocan will be purchased from this time on, as they are the best ores obtainable for fluxing, owing to the high percentage of lead carried, one ton being equal to a ton and a half of concentrates from the Cœur d'Alene mines. As an instance: Superintendent Fisher, of the Freddie Lee, recently took a careful sample of a 50 ton shipment. The sample gave a return of 127 ounces silver and 79 per cent. lead. No other country produces so uniformly high grade ore. The smelter at Great Falls and the one at Helena have four stacks each, and a daily capacity of about 250 tons. The same company has a one-stack smelter and a refinery at Chicago.

NEW DENVER.

The report that the townsite question has been settled was received with considerable satisfaction, and has given a natural impetus to all interested in this town to get out and rustle. The prices asked for lots is as high as ever, and for every lot offered there are a half a dozen or more anxious buyers ready to give from $300 to $700 per lot.

The trail up the Slocan river is in good condition, while the traveling over from Nakusp to the head of the lake is first class.

Richard Shea came down from Three Forks to-day. He reports that a number of old-timers will be back in New Denver in a few days. Jack Clunnen, better known as "Tough Nut Jack" came in by way of the Slocan trail to-day. W. Middough and W. Field were in town for a few days. The former has made some new purchases in the hills.

NEW EXPLOSIVE.

Gunpowder Expected to Be Replaced by a Smokeless Compound—Army Rifles of Improved Quality.

BERLIN, April 2.—A commission of artillery has been testing for several days at the Jueterborg a new explosive, which is ultimately intended to replace gunpowder in the German army. The explosive is a brown, fatty substance of the consistency of frozen oil, when exposed in ordinary temperatures. A shock or a spark does not set it off, but when used in guns the explosion is obtained through contact with another chemical compound.

The explosion is almost unaccompanied by smoke, and the detonation is inconsiderable. The recoil is very slight, even when the heaviest charges have been used. The explosion does not heat the weapons sufficiently to cause difficulties in the way of rapid firing, and cartridges once used are easily filled.

Four models of the new army rifles, having many advantages over the rifle now in use, have passed successfully the trials of the small arms inspectors.

The inventor of all four is Dr. Weiss of the Gera dynamite factory.

New Goods for Easter.

An endless variety of black and tan boots and shoes in ladies, gents, boys, misses and children's, have just arrived and are on view at Geo. H. Maynard's, 85 Douglas street.

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FOR every ill nature has a cure. In the healing virtues of the Norway Pine lies the cure for coughs, colds, croup, asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness, etc. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup represents the virtues of Norway Pine and other pectoral remedies. Price 25c.

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WANTED—A nurse immediately, to take charge of two young children; wages $15 a month. Apply at Mrs. Crossdaile's, Pemberton road, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. ap2 6t

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FARMS FOR SALE—$1,500 will buy 140 acres of land ¾ mile from railway station; near salt water on Cowichan bay; about 20 acres cleared land, balance lightly timbered; all arable land; log house. Other farms to sell or rent. Apply Geo. Bartell, McPherson, P. O., Vancouver Island. no10-tf

FOR SALE—

11 choice residential lots, between Battery Street and Dallas Road, closely adjacent to Beacon Hill Park.

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The Growth of Kaslo during the Past Year has been one of Continued Advancement.

Everyone is now well acquainted with the wonderful strides which have been made by Kaslo City during the first year of its existence. One year ago there was scarcely a building or clearing on the Townsite. To-day there are many hundreds of Houses, Substantial Business Blocks, Sawmills, Wide and Well Graded Streets and Sidewalks, Roads and Trails to the Mines, and First-Class Transportation Facilities.

It Is the Busiest Town in Kootenay,

And it has the Brightest Future in store, for it is the Centre of the Richest Silver Mining Region of the Continent. A Railway is now under construction to the Famous Mines of the Slocan, and it is the only point in Kootenay from which ore is being shipped in quantity.

Read what that well-known and energetic mining man, J. F. Wardner, says of the Mines tributary to Kaslo.

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I estimate the following tonnage as the ability of the following Mines:

	Tons		Tons
Noble Five Group	50,000	Ruby Silver	25,000
Rico	50,000	Alice	25,000
Washington	50,000	Mountain Chief	25,000
Wonderful	50,000	Idaho	25,000
Freddie Lee	50,000	Alamo	25,000
Blue Bird	50,000	Great Western	25,000
Utica Consolidated	50,000	Jackson	25,000
Slocan Star	50,000	Wellington	25,000
Dardanelles Group	50,000	Cape Consolidated	10,000
Lucky Jim	25,000	Best	10,000
Reed & Robinson	25,000	Storemount	10,000
Big Bertha	25,000		
Slocan Boy	25,000	Total	780,000

Any discrepancies or short-comings in tonnage will be fully made up by the Great Undiscovered. This estimate is reasonable, when we consider that in order to produce 25,000 tons of this kind of ore in three years we only have to displace five cubic feet per day. Kaslo has no rival for this business. A railroad from the nearest point on the Canadian Pacific Railroad to the great group of producers would be sixty-one (61) miles long. A railroad from Kaslo to the great group of producers will be twenty-four (24) miles long, with a grade averaging less than 2 per cent. The construction of this railroad is assured.

J. F. WARDNER.

Those who invested in Kaslo a year ago in many cases have made a thousand per cent. on their investment. Those who invest now will do equally as well, for the forces are at work which will build it into a city of many thousands of people.

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ELECTROCUTED.

A Wife Murderer Expiates His Great Offence in the Fatal Chair.

The Operation Said to Be the Most Successful Yet Performed.

SING SING, N.Y., April 3.—James W. Hamilton (colored), an ex-preacher, convicted of wife murder, died in the electric chair to-day. The death warrant was read by Warden Brown in the condemned man's cell at half-past ten last night. Hamilton sat on his bed and showed some signs of emotion when the document was read. Carlyle W. Harris, who occupies a cell near Hamilton's, was able to hear the reading of the warrant. He showed no signs of being affected by what was going on so near him, and what may be repeated in his case a few weeks hence. Hamilton shook hands with Warden Brown when the reading was finished and said good-bye. He talked with Father Creeden until 11 o'clock and then went to bed. Dr. Irvine, the prison physician, saw him at that time, and said he showed no signs of breaking down.

Hamilton slept until 6 o'clock this morning. He was visited by Fathers Wallace and Creeden, and they remained with him all the morning. The witnesses invited by Warden Brown arrived before 10 a.m. Electrician E. F. Davis made a careful test of the apparatus. The chair and electrodes and switching mechanism used in the case of Fred Maguire last December were employed to-day. The witnesses present at the electrocution were several physicians and representatives of the press. The official time of the electrocution was 11:10½. One shock lasting one minute was given.

It was 10:55 a.m. when Warden Brown led the witnesses down to the execution chamber. Some delay in getting the dynamo into working order was filled in by an exhibition of the chairs in which former murderers paid the penalty of their crimes. Then the electrician placed a board with twenty-four incandescent lamps across the chair in which Hamilton was to sit, and by turning on and off the current demonstrated the method of electrocution. Ten minutes after Warden Brown announced that all was ready and led the way to Hamilton's cell, only a few steps from the execution chamber, and which was reached by passing through an iron door and down what is known as murderers' row.

Hamilton walked with a firm step. Two priests walked close beside him and two keepers walked behind. Hamilton took a seat in the chair with a glance of curiosity at the surroundings. His lips moved in response to the prayers for the dead, which Father Creeden repeated, but no words could be heard. Hamilton was quickly strapped in the chair. At 11:10½ all the connections were made and Warden Brown gave the signal and the current was left on for 60 seconds, then turned off. Physicians stepped forward, listened for the heart beats and felt for the pulse. They declared the subject dead at 11:13.

This electrocution differed from all its predecessors, in that only one shock was given. There was no scorching or scalding of the skin, or steaming at the electrodes, and while the man was above the medium height and massive build, it was evident that death was instantaneous. Such was the verdict of all who were present who had seen former executions in the electric chair. Electrician Davis said it was the most successful at which he had officiated. He gave the voltage at 1,740 and the amperes 75.1.

COLLIERY DISASTER.

Great Excitement Caused by Reported Danger of Eighteen Hundred Men—No Loss of Life.

HAZELTON, Pa., April 3.—At 9:30 this morning another disaster occurred just on the outskirts of this city. The mine is known as Laurel Hill and is operated by Pardee Bros. The accident was almost a repetition of the Jeanesville disaster of two years ago, when 16 men were drowned. The report was that the water standing in the Sugar Loaf mine had burst into Laurel Hill, and that a cave-in followed. It was circulated that about 1,800 men were employed in this mine. The effect produced by the report of the accident was electrifying. In less than five minutes thousands of people were hurrying to the scene of the disaster. Among the first to arrive was Frank Pardee, one of the proprietors, who said he was going down to the bottom of the shaft. His intention was barely announced when twenty miners stepped forward to accompany him. They were at once lowered into the pit, and when the carriage returned Mine Superintendent Durkin, heading ten more rescuers, boarded it and immediately dropped into the mine.

The mine is now working the sixth lift, with the seventh in process of sinking. The fifth lift is the point at which the accident occurred, and is over 600 yards below the surface. Although the engines worked to their greatest velocity, the movement of the mine cage to and from the fifth lift seemed like hours to the thousands of anxious friends and relatives who had congregated about the mouth of the slope. Supt. Durkin and his band of rescuers had barely reached the bottom when the signal to hoist again was received. It had on board three grimy, excited miners. They had sustained serious injuries by being knocked against the timbers. They were taken home. The first authentic information was then made known and proved a source of great relief to the throng of people assembled.

OBJECTIONABLE APPOINTMENT.

Protest by Austrians Against the U. S. Consul-General at Vienna.

VIENNA, April 2.—The Austrian anti-Semites and Clericals are greatly excited over the appointment by President Cleveland of Max Judah, of Missouri, as Consul-General of the United States at Vienna, the opposition to Judah being based upon the ground that Judah is a Hebrew, and therefore an undesirable person for the office. Petitions are being prepared addressed to the Emperor Francis Joseph and to the Austrian Foreign office asking that the Imperial authorities shall refuse to accept Judah as American Consul-General.

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What Is Being Done by Revolutionists for the Gem of the Antilles.

KEY WEST, Florida, April 3.—The work of the Cuban revolutionary party is just now attracting more than usual attention. The revolution, many believe, will come within the next few days. Americans, even those in Key West, are not aware of the work already accomplished by the revolutionists. Cubans say that they will not suffer another defeat. Much of the work is being done in secret in the interior of Cuba, but it is openly done in the United States. The headquarters of the revolutionary body are in New York, Senor Jose Marti being at the head of the central body; Benjamin Guerra is the treasurer and Gonzalo de Ineseda the secretary. Revolutionary clubs have been formed in all sections where sympathizers of the revolutionsts can be found. There are eight clubs in the United States, six in Jamaica, one in Hayti and one in Mexico. Ten of these clubs are in New York and three in Tampa, two in Philadelphia and one each in Brooklyn, Boston, Chicago, New Orleans, Atlanta, Jacksonville and St. Augustine. Key West harbors fifty clubs with a membership of 3,000. Funds for the revolutionary movement have been obtained from these clubs. The United States revenue cutter McLane is being held at Key West. She has on board extra supplies of provisions and coal and is ready to sail at the moment the revolutionists seek to leave for Cuba.

GERMAN AFFAIRS.

Bismarck's Seventy-Eighth Birthday—Letters and Telegrams of Congratulation Numerous.

Caprivi and the Army Bill—Ahlwardt Thrown Over.

BERLIN, April 3.—Saturday was the seventy-eighth anniversary of the birth of Prince Bismarck, and a number of the Berlin newspapers took advantage of the occasion to publish congratulatory articles. Among the many presents received by the great statesman was a splendid album sent by a number of Germans in Costa Rica. The Bismarck fountain in the market place in Jena was inaugurated to-day. The fountain is upon the spot where Prince Bismarck delivered his famous oration last summer.

Prince Bismarck received his visitors heartily and showed signs of both mental and bodily vigor. The main feature of the day's celebration was the arrival of the 13 deputations from Schleswig-Holstein and the duchy of Luxembourg, numbering in all 3,000 persons. The deputations delivered an address highly eulogizing Prince Bismarck and congratulating him on his birthday. Prince Bismarck in reply delivered a lengthy speech of thanks. He dwelt on his attitude on the Schleswig-Holstein question since 1848. He said that in constantly espousing the cause of annexation he had been moved by affection for his German-speaking neighbors, rather than by a spirit of aggrandizement. In conclusion, Prince Bismarck suggested that the old Holstein motto of "Eweig Ungedeelt," forever undivided, should be changed to "Ungedeelt Mit Deutsches Riek," one and indivisible with the German empire. Prince Bismarck called for three cheers for the German Kaiser, the protector of all the Germans, as an expression of assent to that sentiment.

In the response the assembled crowd cheered enthusiastically and then sang "Deutscheland Ueber Alles" with great heartiness. Prince Bismarck received countless letters and telegrams of congratulation from all parts of the world.

On Wednesday Chancellor Von Caprivi had a conference with the war minister of Saxony in regard to amending the army bill. On Thursday the war minister and the chancellor held another conference, but the result of the deliberation is not known.

Dr. Von Bennigsen, the National Liberal leader, has resumed his negotiations aiming to get the Government to accept in a modified form the proposals he has already made to the bill. The bill will not again appear in the Reichstag until the return of Emperor William from Italy, whither he proceeded to take part in the celebration of King Humbert's silver wedding.

The Conservatives have definitely thrown over Rector Ahlwardt. The Jew baiter and libeller is as irrepressible as ever, and he pervades the country, venting old scandals with his accustomed zest. At Stettin, at a conference on German thought, Ahlwardt developed to the satisfaction of his audience that all the moral and social evils now afflicting Germany arose from the Jews. He concluded his address by declaring that as soon as the Reichstag met he would produce proofs of corruption under the Bismark regime and since Bismarck held office. A somewhat similar conference, that it was proposed to hold in Dresden, has been forbidden by the police. Another meeting, which is expected to be a monster one, has been convened in Berlin. The organizers of this meeting say that Ahlwardt is now waiting for the Reichstag to reassemble to produce his documents proving that the Government is under the control of the Hebrew financiers, who have misapplied public funds. Emperor William has advised the Government to consider exceptional measures for repressing Ahlwardt, who is at present protected by his membership in the Reichstag. The Emperor has suggested that action be taken against him on the ground that he is a danger to public morality. It is hoped that Ahlwardtism will fizzle out if it is left to expend itself unreproved and unnoticed, as it shows small sign of vanishing. Ahlwardt's photographs or portraits are to be seen in book shops, cafes and beer cellars with his head crowned with laurels.

More than 4,000 men took advantage of the magnificent weather to visit Friedrichsrhue to-day. Since early morning crowds have gathered before Prince Bismarck's home. Among the first persons from whom Bismarck received congratulations by message yesterday were the Empress Frederick, Prince George of Prussia, King of Saxony, Regent of Bavaria and Grand Duke of Baden. No message was sent by the Emperor William.

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Victoria, March 18, 1893. mc18

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NOT A BUBBLE AND NOT BURSTED.

We cannot say that we are surprised at the tone adopted by the two Vancouver dailies with respect to the British Pacific Railway. They hasten to pronounce that scheme a failure, and they seem delighted to have an excuse for making the declaration. As the British Pacific Railway would, if means could be found to construct it, be of incalculable benefit to this Province, it does seem singular to see British Columbian journalists rejoicing that the efforts which have been made to form a company to build it have, as they believe or affect to believe, failed. So far from receiving such news with a feeling of relief and satisfaction, intelligent and public-spirited British Columbians should be grieved and disappointed to find that the efforts of the promoters to set the undertaking on a firm basis have not proved successful. But the secret of the premature chuckling of the Vancouver dailies is that they believe that the construction of the British Pacific will benefit Victoria, and so great is their hatred of this city and so bitter is their jealousy of its progress and prosperity, that they cannot conceal their pleasure when they hear that an enterprise calculated to benefit it has fallen through. But they have commenced their rejoicing too soon. They should have waited a little before they showed the cloven foot so plainly. The British Pacific Railway scheme has not failed, and the announcement made by Mr. Davie, read with intelligence, will not bear the construction put upon it by our Vancouver contemporaries. This is what the Premier said:

I may at once set hon. members' minds at rest and tell them that no bill giving a guarantee will be brought down this session, and that no such bill is in contemplation by the Government this session. I may say that, although communications have been had about giving a guarantee, *no decision has been come to*, and no assurances have been given further than *that if the promoters will form a syndicate or company of unquestioned strength which is prepared to build the road the Government will then be prepared to take into their consideration any proposition which may be made for a guarantee.*

This is very far indeed from being an announcement that the enterprise is a failure. All that the Premier says is that it has not yet arrived at that stage which would warrant the Government in entertaining proposals for a guarantee. Our contemporaries, now that they have had time to reflect, may see that they have been just a little too fast, that they have jumped before they came to the stile. They have, however, shown the spirit by which they are actuated, and let those who favor the construction of the British Pacific know what is to be expected from them in the future.

It is amusing to note the expressions used by the News-Advertiser with respect to the new enterprise. They are almost literally the same as were applied to the Pacific Railway scheme by its opponents when it was first mooted. It was, according to them, "one of the wildest and most impracticable schemes that the craziest promoter ever promulgated." It was "an insane project." Its projectors were "fit candidates for a lunatic asylum." And the denouncers of that great enterprise could not understand how "sober business men" could for a moment entertain the absurd propositions of the political schemers. Almost every opprobrous term in the English language was applied to both the scheme and its promoters, yet the syndicate that undertook to carry out this mad, impracticable scheme, obtained from the Parliament of the Dominion an immense grant of the best lands in the Northwest, a subsidy of twenty-five millions cash, and long sections of completed road, besides favors innumerable of other kinds.

Does the News-Advertiser believe that the Dominion Government did right in going on with the Pacific Railway in spite of the fierce outcry and the lugubrious predictions made by the politicians and the newspapers that opposed its construction?

The analogy goes even further than this. Our contemporary evidently believes that it is scathingly sarcastic when it sneers at "Yankee schemers." The very same objection was raised to the Canadian Pacific syndicate, but that syndicate had the discernment to put their great enterprise under the management of "Yankee" railroad men; and if the "Yankees" who are promoting the British Pacific possess the ability and the energy of the "Yankees" who have so successfully conducted the business of the Canadian Pacific, and if their efforts produce such beneficial results, British Columbians will have good cause to regard them as their best friends.

The narrowness, the lack of intelligence and the want of public spirit displayed by our Vancouver contemporaries in this British Pacific Railway business must cause every sensible British Columbian to blush for the journalism of the Terminal City.

IGNORANT INSOLENCE.

The News-Advertiser shows its ignorance as well as its utter want of principle by speaking of Lord Thurlow, the chairman of the British Pacific railway company, as "a well-known guinea pig." This, of course, was a random shot, for it is evident that the News-Advertiser knows as much about Lord Thurlow as it does about the Emperor of Morocco. If its editor had read the following item of news in London Truth of February 23, it would not be so ready to stigmatize so highly esteemed a nobleman as "a guinea pig":

"Lord Thurlow is to be Lord High Commissioner of this year's General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, which meets in May."

The nobleman selected to fill that high position in the highest Church Court in Scotland does not belong to the class from which mercantile and railway companies obtain their "guinea pigs."

If the editor of the Advertiser had consulted Burke's peerage, he would hardly have offered a gratuitous insult to a man of high birth, who has occupied elevated positions in both Church and State. This is what he would have found in that record of Great Britain's nobility:

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MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.

As was to be expected, the Vancouver newspapers are making a great fuss about the postponement of the Redistribution Bill. They do not attempt to show that the slightest harm is done to any interest or locality in the Province by the delay, yet they set up a dismal howl as if it was certain to cause the immediate ruin of the Province. Nothing is more common than for Government, for one cause or another, to postpone measures promised in the Speech from the Throne, and when the public welfare is not injured by the postponement, very little indeed is said by the Opposition.

The World is peculiarly inconsistent and unreasonable in its outcry against the Government. "Whilst acknowledging," it says, "that no great injury can be inflicted on the country by such a decision, seeing that an immediate dissolution was not to take place, we cannot help regretting that the measure as foreshadowed in what was a capital Speech from the Throne has not been carried out."

What is there to be regretful about? If there was to be no dissolution, who was to be benefited by the mere passing and printing of a Redistribution Act? It would until the general elections be a dead letter on the Statute Book, doing neither good nor harm. If the World were consistent it would congratulate the country that the Redistribution Bill has been left over until there had been ample time to make inquiries and to perfect the measure. Such a bill should not be a crude piece of legislation requiring continual amendment. It should be so framed as to meet the requirements of the country for the next twelve or sixteen years without material change. To help to raise a prejudice against the Government because it has determined to defer a measure until next session that must be inoperative for eighteen months or so, is not the part of a friend, and the World professes to be friendly to the present administration.

The News-Advertiser should have found some better excuse for abandoning the attitude of neutrality which it has for some time maintained, than the postponement by the Government of a measure the immediate enactment of which could not have done the slightest amount of good.

Having really nothing to say our contemporary says nothing, but it takes a whole column of words to say it in. The Advertiser speaks of the "fatal mistake involved in the course adopted by the Government." What was the mistake and wherein was it fatal? Our contemporary's article is as good a specimen of bathos as we have seen for a long while. It assumes an air of solemnity and in an impressive style rolls out a number of fine sounding words about nothing, and that really mean nothing. "In the name of the prophet—figs."

Our contemporary's efforts to make the people believe that they are injured by the postponement of legislation that is not needed, that cannot be of any use until after the next session of the Legislature, and that can be much better done a year hence than now, will be labor in vain. The electors of the Province have too much sense to pay any attention to a grievance which a few politicians have manufactured literally out of nothing.

PLAIN TALK.

Some of the American newspapers speak in the plainest terms of the way in which the United States is acting towards China. They do not scruple to declare that recent legislation is a flagrant breach of faith with China and is calculated to bring discredit on the Government of the United States. The New York Times says that "the people of the United States have acquiesced in a policy which they knew to be not only barbarous but in violation of express treaties." It is refreshing to read the hearty denunciation of wrong-doing which the articles of this able paper contain. It condemns the course which the United States Government pursued towards the Indians, who are weak and ignorant and not able to take their own part. It then goes on to say:

The Chinese officials, on the other hand, are quite as skilled in dialectics as the officials of the United States, are as keenly aware of their rights, and as much disposed to insist upon the same. Seeing that their immemorial policy has been a policy of seclusion and exclusion, into which Europe and America have been attempting to break, with only a moderate measure of success, there is no danger that they will undertake to resent, by an aggressive war, the injuries and insults that we have heaped upon them by legislation. It is certain, nevertheless, that any European power of the first class would find itself forced, in like circumstances, by the public opinion of Europe, to adopt that mode of redress or abdicate its position, because we have repeatedly offered China what would be recognized between civilized nations as ample causes of war. The Chinese statesmen confine themselves to protests accompanied by explanations that appeal to our national self-respect, which they have a perfect right to say they have thus far found is not to be appealed to with success.

The Times shows very clearly what the policy which the United States is pursuing is likely to lead to. While doing this it does not hesitate to call a spade a spade. It says:

It is noteworthy that the demand for closer and more profitable commercial relations with China comes from the same part of the country in which the treatment of Chinamen is most grievous. It is probably true that a more enlarged commercial policy would considerably increase our direct trade with the East, but it is unlikely that the Chinese Government will invite closer relations of any kind with people with whom their intercourse has been so unsatisfactory or be inclined to make further treaties with people whom they have a right to accuse of flagrant violations of treaties already made. The Chinese populace have some reason for the opinion they are reported to hold, that of all "foreign devils" the American foreign devil is the most objectionable.

It is not likely that the Chinese in their dealings with the United States will do as Great Britain has been doing for the last quarter of a century or so—return good for evil. There is indeed very little of the Quaker spirit in China. The Chinese as a nation are not in a military sense formidable, but they know what retaliation means, and there can be no doubt that when they get a chance to make Uncle Sam feel in that very tender spot—his pocket—that they are not as meek and as inoffensive as they look, they will eagerly embrace the opportunity.

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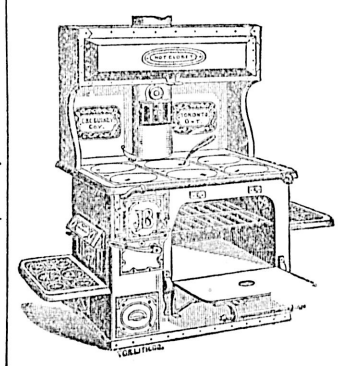

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THE CITY.

Coming Bazaar.

The Young Ladies' Institute are preparing for a bazaar, to take place early in May, to raise funds to complete the stations of the Cross in St. Andrew's R. C. cathedral.

A Gentle Reminder.

The "oldest inhabitant" will please remember that yesterday's little snow flurry was part of last winter and not the whole of this spring, in whose lap it appears inclined to linger.

The Children's Service.

At Christ church cathedral next Sunday there will be a union service participated in by all the Episcopalian congregations of the city and provided by the children. Good music will be a conspicuous feature of the service.

Up Go the Prices.

Local boot and shoe dealers have received telegraphic advices of the advance in prices of rubber goods 30 per cent. This is due to the recently formed combination, and there is reason to believe it will have a like effect on leather boots and shoes.

When Tenders Will Be Called For.

It is expected that it will be at least four months before tenders will be called for for the erection of the new parliament buildings across James Bay. The architect, Mr. F. M. Rattenbury, is now in Victoria and will be busily engaged in the meantime completing the details of plans and specifications.

Williams-Smith.

Mr. Fred. B. Williams, of the Times reportorial staff, and Mrs. M. A. Smith were joined in marriage yesterday morning at St. Andrew's (R.C.) cathedral, Rev. Father Nicolaye officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Williams will spend the honeymoon at the World's Fair, and then take up their residence on Cadboro Bay road.

Tenders for the P. O. Home.

Attention is directed to the advertisement published elsewhere in this paper calling for tenders for the erection of the new Protestant Orphans' Home on Hillside avenue. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. Thomas Hooper, the architect. As the time for receiving tenders expires on Saturday next, there is no opportunity for delay.

An Interesting Work.

A recent publication of the Funk & Wagnalls Co. of New York, "Criminology," by Arthur MacDonald, is stated by those who have reviewed it to be one of the most valuable works on the subject ever issued. It is not a dry as-dust study of prisons and reformatories, but a philosophical study of the criminal type, of the evolution of crime, etc , and is such a work as must be of interest to all professional men, lawyers, doctors and clergymen.

Remembered Their Leader.

The choir boys of Christ church cathedral on Sunday morning last presented their leader, Mr. Herbert Kent, with a solid oak choir chair, suitably inscribed, as an Easter recognition of his long and faithful service in the church and choir and in token of their personal esteem and affection. The ladies of the Chancel Guild also presented to Mr. Kent a new cassock and surplice. The present is the third year that the boys have thus "remembered" their leader.

To-night's Charity Ball.

The ball to be held to-night in the Philharmonic hall in aid of the Samaritan Home, promises to be a most enjoyable affair in every respect. There will be a good attendance, but as the number of tickets was limited, there will not be too large a crowd for comfort. The ladies who have the dance in charge have gone to some pains to make the event a success, and their efforts should meet with encouragement. It will be necessary for ticket holders to present their tickets at the door.

Easter in the Churches.

Large congregations filled the city churches on Sunday last to enjoy the Easter services, which in the Episcopalian and Roman Catholic churches were of especial excellence, musically. At St. Andrew's (R.C) cathedral the sacred programme was presented by a well trained chorus of twenty-five voices under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Lombard, leader and organist, whilst Master Charles Lombard made his first appearance in public as a violinist, playing the obligato to Mr. Oliver's bass solo with considerable taste and expression. It is expected that the Easter music will be repeated next Sunday at Christ church cathedral, St. John's and St. James.

A Musical Church.

The congregation of the Metropolitan Methodist church are enjoying a continual feast of music, and during the past week have scarcely found time to applaud one excellent programme before being called upon to enjoy another. Following close upon Good Friday's excellent concert a service of sacred song was given on Sunday evening, under the direction of Mrs. Drury, the organist of the church, who certainly is deserving of congratulation upon the success achieved. The attendance was unusually large even for the Metropolitan church, and the service highly appreciated. This evening a Japanese social is to be given in the lecture room and another first-class musical programme is promised.

"Safe, Simple and Effective."

Another robbery to the count of the same bold "operators" who have recently given the police sleepless nights and anxious days was reported Sunday afternoon, the scene this time being upper Johnson street, and the loss jewelry valued at $150. The method employed by the thieves is suspected of being systematic calling in the residential quarter. If ringing the door bell does not bring any response and the callers are thus assured there is no one home, they proceed to go through the premises. If the ring is answered it is an easy matter to inquire if "Mr. Jones lives here" and if not, to seek direction as to his place of abode. Like a well known patent medicine, the plan is "safe, simple and effective."

Discharging the Coal.

It has been arranged that the coal cargo of the wrecked steamship Romulus will be discharged on scows and she will then be put in the dry dock to have necessary repairs made. As before stated, it will not be possible to estimate the extent of the damage until the vessel is out of the water. The Nanaimo pilotage board has not yet taken the necessary steps as to an investigation, but will do so soon. The account of the accident as officially filed with the Collector of Customs does not differ materially from that given in Sunday's COLONIST. Writing of the accident, the Nanaimo correspondent of the COLONIST says:

"The accident to s.s. Romulus will make things rather dull in the mines for a time. This week the New Vancouver company's mines will only work half time, and it is quite possible that the Northfield mine will be closed down temporarily."

And Still Another.

The residence of Mr. Thomas H. Baker was invaded by burglars during the absence of the family yesterday and a quantity of jewelry stolen. The thieves who are at present working the town evidently contemplate opening a jewelry store.

Belcher Street This Time.

The residence of Mr. R. J. Ferguson, 11 Belcher street, was entered during Sunday afternoon by burglars, who broke a window in the rear and thus gained entrance. They secured valuable jewelry worth between $100 and $200, and left no clue to their identity.

At the Provincial Jail.

Appended are the statistics of the Provincial jail for the month of March:

Daily average number of prisoners	46
Received during the month	18
Discharged	11
Highest number in any one day	49
Remaining in custody	49

Resigned the Living.

Rev. G. W. Taylor, rector of St Barnabas church (Episcopal), has tendered his resignation to the Archdeacon, to take effect May 31. The reverend gentleman may be properly called the father of St. Barnabas church, having been in charge of the congregation since its first formation as a mission.

A Successful Trip.

Right Rev. Bishop Sillitoe is said to have met with most encouraging success on his Eastern trip, the object of which was to interest the residents of other parts of Canada in British Columbia. Both the school at Yale for Indian girls and the much needed hospital are likely to be established very shortly.

Y. L. I. Entertainment.

Arrangements have been made by the committee of the Young Ladies' Institute for a concert and magic lantern entertainment, to be given in the Institute hall, View street, on Monday evening, April 10. It will be under the direction of Mr. Lambard and for the benefit of church objects. It is expected the occasion will be one of special interest, one of its features being the young ladies' drill.

"Cinderella."

The little artists who are to present "Cinderella" in St. John's school-room to-morrow evening had a dress rehearsal yesterday at which everything ran smoothly and in a manner presaging complete success. The operetta will be presented with excellent orchestration, quaint and pretty costumes, graceful dances, and, no doubt, a large attendance. The music is very attractive.

P. L. S. Examinations.

Candidates who intend writing either the preliminary or final examinations for certificates as Provincial Land Surveyors will meet at the Lands and Works Department at 9 o'clock this morning, and adjourn to the Court House on Bastion square, where the examination will be held. The examiners are Messrs. T. Kains, J. A. Kirk, J. H. Brownlee, P. Leech, John McKenzie and A. G. Pender.

Charged with Assault.

There was no Police court yesterday, Easter Monday being a statutory holiday, and the few cases listed for hearing accordingly "stood over." The most important case is that of a woman known as Agnes Woodruff, who was arrested by Sergt. Levin and Officer Cameron, charged with aggravated assault upon one Austin Miller, at whose head she aimed a dinner plate. The accused secured her liberty until the hearing of the case by depositing $100 cash bail.

Off for Chicago.

Mr. James Deans and his little party of Fort Ruperts, who are to illustrate British Columbia Indian life at the World's Fair, left for Chicago this morning by way of Vancouver and the C. P. R. Each member of the party will be paid $20 a month, and all provisions and accommodation provided, by the Archæological Department, compensation which the Indians consider highly satisfactory, as it means $2,000 in hard cash and no hard work for it. The braves were costumed for a dance yesterday in all their paint and farthers, and photographed on board the Danube by a local artist.

Contractor McBean Returns.

Contractor Alexander McBean, who built the main sewers in this city, returned on Sunday night from California to make final arrangements to hand over the sewers to the city on April 27, according to contract. Mr. McBean is registered at the Driard. He will spend a few days in going over the work to see that it is all in good shape, and will then give the necessary guarantee. He is still of opinion that the system is all right and should be extended and completed at the general cost of the city, the connections to be made under the Local Improvement By-law.

Wednesday Evening's Concert.

A rare treat is promised in the concert to be held Wednesday (to-morrow) evening in the schoolroom of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. The following programme needs no comment:

PART I.

Pianoforte Solo.."Raphael"..Oscar Comettant
Miss Leitch.
Solo............"Darby and Joan,"...............
Mrs. W. W. Clarke.
Solo..................Selected..................
Mr. J. G. Brown.
Guitar Selection...."Il Trovatore,".......Verdi
Prof. Geddes.
Solo.."The Daily Question,"..Erik Meyer-Helmund
Madame Laird.
Recitation.."Clarence's Dream,"..Shakespeare
Mr. Wm. Allan.
Tableau............Selected..........

PART II.

Pianoforte Duet..Duo for two pianos..........
Miss Laura Adams and Miss Wilson.
Solo............"Dawn,".........Lord Somerset
Mr. Godfrey Booth.
Duet..........."Crookit Bawbee,"...............
Mrs. W. W. Clarke and Mr. A. Brownlie.
Violin Solo........Airs Russes......Wieniawski
Mr. Ernest Wolff, L.C.M.
Solo............"Over the Sea,"..................
Miss O'Neill.
Solo......"Alice, where art thou?"............
Mrs. Belyea.
Tableau..........Selected..........
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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

The Tug-of-War Tournament at the Market Hall a Great Financial Success.

Mainlanders Defeat the Island in the Rugby Match—Corbett and Mitchell.

There was a good attendance at the Market hall last evening where an entertainment, musical and physical, under the distinguished patronage of the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney, His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Beaven, was given. The music was supplied by the V. A. C. band, and the other part of the programme by the firemen and two tug-of-war teams, one from H.M.S. Nymphe and a second made up of members of St. Mark's church.

The tug-of-war was looked forward to with considerable interest. It was rumored that the victorious Scotch team from Vancouver was coming over, and that in the event of their arrival Chief Deasy's brawny men would have to look well to their laurels; but the Scots did not come, nor did the "C" battery team show up as was expected, nor yet the teamsters. In order to keep the programme its proper length a "scratch" or second firemen's team was made up, and the boys in it showed themselves to be worthy of good honors. They first vanquished the Nymphe team in two pulls, of three minutes and three and a half respectively. Then they tried their muscle on the St. Mark's team, with the same result—time, 4½ minutes.

After that Chief Deasy marched the No. 1 team downstairs, and it was expected the boys in red would have a walk away. They didn't. It took them eight minutes to draw the rope their way, so that when No. 2 team lowered the flag it was in an honorable defeat. Hon. Col. Baker acted as starter and referee very acceptably.

Next came the firemen's drill. The extension ladder was driven into the hall, the ladder run up and mounted, and then came what to the small boy portion of the spectators was perhaps the most interesting—the jumping from the ladder into the rescue sheet held at the sides by any number of volunteers. An exhibition was also given of how to come down a pole with alacrity and despatch. The firemen showed practice, training and expertness.

The finale was a fire alarm and the horses were quickly harnessed to the engines and hose reels, and amidst the glare and smoke of a calcium light they dashed out of the building. The band played God Save the Queen, and the spectators went home very much pleased. The affair was a success in every way, the financial aspect being particularly pleasing, and the members of St. Mark's church, under whose auspices it was held, will have a handsome sum to add to its funds.

FOOTBALL.

"MAINLAND V. ISLAND."

VANCOUVER, April 3.—(Special) — The finest match of the season took place on the football grounds here this evening between Rugby teams representing the Mainland and the Island. Every player was a star, and the game was keenly enjoyed by the spectators.

The Mainland was represented by: Full back, Akroyd, Vancouver; three-quarters, Senkler, Vancouver, Lafevre and Rev. P. Woods, Westminster; halves, R Roselle and Capt. Laurenson, Vancouver; forwards, Coles, Graham, Curtis, Quigley, Vancouver; Moresby, Allison, Forin, Hamer and Roberts, Westminster.

The Island team were: Full back, Riley, of Nanaimo; three-quarters, Quinn and Woodburn, Nanaimo, and Ackland, Victoria; half-backs, Dr. Watt and Van Millingen, Victoria, and Capt. Jos. Neens, Nanaimo; forwards, Duffie, Edmonds, Wilson, Lester, Nanaimo; Jones, Fraser, Hibben and Sullivan, Victoria. Dr. Johnstone was referee.

During the game the Island men were obliged to touch down eight times in self-defence, mostly through Senkler and Woods' magnificent plays, which at the critical moment lacked support. The game was an open one throughout, and good to look at. The acquisition of Westminster's splendid forwards weakened the wonderful Nanaimo forward combination, and evened things up considerably.

At every scrimmage the scrum was scarcely packed before the ball was violently gyrating between the backs. Senkler played one of his old time Osgoode Hall games, and was the pet of the hour. Woods, of Westminster, also did marvellous work, playing for every ounce of strength there was in him. Akroyd's kicks along the touch line were wildly cheered, and Laurenson's name was in everybody's mouth. He worked like a tiger, and always did the right thing in the right place.

The Mainland forwards all did well, particularly Coles and Moresby (son of Governor Moresby). Coles is a very slight built athlete, and the boys sized him up as not of much account, but he has since turned out good as the best of 'em, and of wonderful promise.

"Played Moresby!" "Played Graham!" "Played!" "Played Roselle!" "Played Allison!" "Played Homer!" "Played Roberts!" were all familiar cries afield.

In the first half neither team scored, but the ball was constantly in the Island twenty five, where Riley and Quinn, of Nanaimo, played a marvellous defence game, showing good stuff in them. "Go it Dublin!" was heard very often from behind the ropes. That was for Ackland, of Victoria. Woodburn Neens, Dr. Watt and Van Millingen "were fairly in it," but, to be honest, such footballers as Senkler, Woods and Ackroyd were rather too swift company for them, though the Victoria backs, Fraser, Hibben, Sullivan and Jones, and the Hornets, Duffie, Edmonds, Wilson and Lester, saved them from a far worse defeat than they received. No better forward play than the Island put up was ever witnessed on the coast.

The rest is soon told. After ten minutes' play in the second half the ball was heeled out of the scrum and seized by Laurenson, who passed to Senkler, who passed the entire squad of Islanders, closely followed by Laurenson. As he neared touch Full Back Riley, of Nanaimo, firmly blocked his way. Senkler stooped, coolly turned on his heel, and passed to Laurenson, who, "like an adder darting from his coil, or a mountain cat who guards her young," bounded over the touch line and pinned the leather to the earth. Not improved.

After 30 minutes' play, the same combination again worked what appeared almost a miracle. The leather was thrown from touch line, in centre field, and was caught by Senkler, who plunged like a mad bull through the crowd of half exhausted Islanders. One after another tried to tackle him, but he thrust them aside, until he had made the long run from centre to goal touch line. Here Riley collared him, but the impetuous Senkler had again brought both over the line. But Senkler was the only one who fell on the ball. Not improved.

Shortly after time was called, the score standing two tries to nil in favor of the Mainland.

SENIORS V. JUNIORS.

The juniors who returned from their Mainland tour on Sunday do not feel discouraged by their defeat—for they were not defeated by juniors. The Westminster team pitted against them contained no fewer than eight seniors, while Vancouver did not forget to include several Rugby veterans among their players. Such is true sport!

VICTORIA V. NANAIMO.

A game of Association between the Victoria and Nanaimo juniors is on the programme for next Saturday. An interesting game may be looked for.

THE RING.

CORBETT AND MITCHELL.

NEW YORK, April 2.—At last the Coney Island Athletic Club has made a bold bid for the great fight between Charles Mitchell and James J. Corbett. Judge Newton, representing the Coney Island Club, met Corbett and succeeded in getting the Californian to attach his signature to an agreement to fight Mitchell in the Coney Island arena for a purse of $40,000. The agreement signed by Corbett is as follows:

"I do hereby agree to box Charles Mitchell before the Coney Island Athletic Club according to the articles of agreement now signed by Mitchell and myself; the man who is declared winner by the referee of the club to receive the sum of $40,000.

"JAMES J. CORBETT."

The proper articles will be signed later in the event of Mitchell accepting the offer of the Coney Island Athletic Club. Abe Hummel, Mitchell's adviser in America, cabled his client to-night advising him to accept the offer.

NEW YORK, April 3.—It was rumored today in Brooklyn that efforts would be made to prevent Mitchell and Corbett from fighting for the Coney Island club, and Sheriff Courtney said in regard to the matter: "I will do my duty and prevent any violation of the law in the arena at Coney Island.

TENNIS.

TO DISCUSS THE PAVILION PROJECT.

An adjourned meeting of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club will be held on Thursday evening of this week at Mr. W. H. Langley's office on Langley street. The advisability of proceeding with the erection of the new pavilion will be the subject discussed.

THE GUN.

VICTORIAS MEET TO-NIGHT.

The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Gun Club will be held at 8 o'clock this evening at the Hotel Victoria, when important business will receive consideration.

THE OAR.

OXFORD MAY ROW ON THIS SIDE

NEW YORK, April 3.—The recent reports that the Oxford University boat club had decided to send a crew over to meet the winner of the Yale-Harvard race seem to be rather overdrawn. Last week it was said that a cablegram had been received by the Yale men from Oxford to the effect that the crew was making arrangements to sail for this country. A prominent Yale alumnus said to-day that the message was quite to the contrary and the Oxford boat club was having great difficulty in getting a crew together. Several members of the champion eight want to row in the Henley regatta, and so nothing definite had been done. He thought, however, that if an English crew could row here it would be this season.

HERE AND THERE.

Mr. Victor LeGay, formerly of the San Francisco athletic club, has arrived in Victoria to act as instructor for Quilligan's athletic club, now forming. Applications for membership can be left at Frank Campbell's corner. Body building and practical training in every branch of athletics will be made specialties.

Rhodes beat Cunningham at the Hotel Victoria billiard tournament last evening, 275 to 225. Devonshire and Heinfeldt play to-night.

Physical Drill.

Members of No. 2 Battery will be at the Market hall this Tuesday evening to commence physical drill under the instruction of Sergt.-Major Mulcahey. A good attendance is expected.

Discussing Furnishings.

A meeting of the ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphans' Home was held yesterday afternoon at the Home, there being six of the members of the committee present. Very little business was done, the main object of the meeting being to discuss some matters of furnishing.

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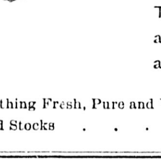
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30 high-grade Holstein-Ayrshire Cows, 3 to 6 years old, in calf to a pure-bred Holstein bull; 10 high-grade Holstein Cows, newly calved; 4 yoke of Logging Cattle, in beef condition; a few head of high-grade Ayrshire Cows; a number of yearlings and 2-year-old Holstein-Ayrshire Heifers; 20 fresh Milch Cows (an excellent chance for dairymen to add to their herds.) These cattle are all highly bred, from the best milking strains; an extra fine lot

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TERMS.

All sums of $50 and under, cash; over that amount seven months' credit on approved joint notes.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock sharp,

on Tuesday, April 4th, and will continue until all the above are disposed of. Sale cannot possibly be completed before Wednesday night, and may last considerably longer.

I would especially draw the attention of dairymen, stockmen and horsemen to attend this sale, as the whole of the above will be sold absolutely without reserve. Lumsden Bros. are well known, and hundreds who are acquainted with them and know the stock can testify to the fact that no cost has been spared in its selection, and which is in first-class condition. This is the greatest chance ever given in British Columbia to purchase good stock.

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ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.

Very Large Congregations at the Centennial Methodist Church on Easter Sunday.

Annual Reports and Election of Officers —Address Presented to Mr. Shakespeare.

The anniversary services of the Centennial Methodist church held on Sunday brought out as large congregations as have ever been seen even in that well-attended place of worship. Rev. Robt. Maitland, LL.B., of Vancouver, officiated at the morning and evening services. At the former his address was more especially to children, and in the evening he discoursed on the Resurrection, his sermon being much appreciated.

The afternoon was devoted to Sunday school work. After the opening exercises, the annual reports were presented; they show the school to be in a very prosperous condition. The membership for the year was 290, divided as follows: Boys, 66; girls, 94; Bible class, 19; infant class, 81; teachers and officers, 28. From the total membership two have been removed by death. The average attendance for the three months ending March 31 was 161; largest attendance any Sunday, 220; total verses recited by boys during the past three months, 1,582; by girls, 2,607. The Band of Hope, under the guidance of Miss Kermode, is progressing very satisfactorily, the number of members on the roll being 116. The following papers are regularly received from the Methodist Book Rooms, Toronto: Banners, 28; Bureau Leaves, 125; Pleasant Hours, 60; and Sunbeams, 75.

During the year twelve teachers' meetings have been held, with an average attendance of eighteen. The librarian reports that at the beginning of last year there were 258 books in the library, 30 of which were recently given to the Duncan's Station Sabbath school, leaving 228, to which have been added 53 new ones, making a total of 281.

The treasurer's report is as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Balance, April 3, 1892	$ 61 85
Collections to March 27, 1893	155 10
Concert and stereopticon exhibition	110 20
Building fund Sunday school collections	28 50
Fourth of July excursion	181 15
Moonlight excursion	20 00
Interest from bank deposits	2 80
Mission fund collections	52 40
Donations, E. J. Gray (3.50), N. Shakespeare (6.50)	10 00
Total	$625 00

EXPENDITURE.

Hymn books, Bibles and Catechisms	$ 31 75
Sunday school papers, etc	39 10
Library books	35 25
Prizes for Xmas ship	47 50
Charity	10 00
Kalsomining Sunday school room	16 00
Expenses of Xmas ship	16 90
Expenses strawberry festival	14 00
Tables	7 00
Subscription to new organ	25 00
Repairing organ	8 00
Sundries	34 60
Balance due building fund	117 90
Missionary society	52 40
Balance in hand	169 60
Total	$625 00

The total amount of money raised for all purposes during the year is, as will be seen from the report, $563.15.

The annual election of officers and teachers took place on March 28, the following being selected: Superintendent, Mr. E. Kermode; Assistant Superintendent, Mr. J. Shirk; Secretary, Mr. W. H. Kettle; Librarian, Mr. F. Kermode; Treasurer, Mr. J. E. Thomas; Organist, Miss Tranta; Choirister, Mr. J. McConnell; Absentee Visitor, Mr. N. Shakespeare. All the teachers were re-elected. At this meeting Mr. N. Shakespeare, who for three years was the valued superintendent of the school, was compelled to decline re-election, much to the regret of the teachers and children of the school, on whose behalf he was presented with the following address:

To Mr. N. Shakespeare, Supt. Centennial Methodist church S. S.:

DEAR BROTHER—In meeting as we do at this our annual teachers' meeting, for the purpose of re-electing officers and teachers for the incoming year, we feel called upon to express our indebtedness to you for the service rendered our school during the year just closing. In stating, as you have, your determination not to stand for re-election, we realize more thoroughly than perhaps we otherwise would the wide gap that requires to be filled by your successor. We appreciate your faithful services during the past three years, and desire to place on record our acknowledgment of the same. It is well known to all connected not only with our school, but by the members of our church and congregation, and we may say generally throughout our city, the very prosperous condition that has characterized your administration. In view of the change that is certain to result from the election of a new superintendent, we look to you as an experienced officer to give your successor all the assistance possible, and we trust that the year we are about entering upon will find you still a progressive and active worker in the other departments of our school work.

Yours faithfully,
W. H. KETTLE,
Secretary,

On behalf of the officers and teachers of the Centennial Methodist Sunday School.

After the annual reports had been read there was singing by the children, followed by addresses from Messrs. John Jessop, David Spencer, E. H. Lewis and John Lee. Mr. Shakespeare also addressed the school children and expressed the regret he felt at leaving the office of superintendent, and the hope that under his successor they would continue to prosper and increase in numbers.

Everyone who attended the church on Sunday was struck with the beauty of the arrangements and decorations. On the large platform which had been erected were seated the children of the Sunday school, tier above tier, forming a gay and living background. The flowers were much admired by all. They were most tastefully arranged, and showed the earnest work of those who assisted in preparing the church for the services of the eighth anniversary of the congregation, the first of the new edifice.

On Wednesday (to-morrow) evening the children of the Sunday school will be given a treat in the schoolroom. Tea will be served from 6 to 7, and afterwards the teachers, officers and visitors will be feted. The platform and decorations put up for Sunday's services in the church will be allowed to remain until Wednesday evening, when a flash-light photograph of the scene is to be taken, and it is expected all the children and officers will be in position on the platform sharp at 6 o'clock. After the tea there will be an entertainment—songs, choruses, addresses and recitations.

Life is short and time is fleeting, but Hood's Sarsaparilla will bless humanity as the ages roll on. Try it this season.

Try Victoria Lager.

THE DEEP-SEA FISHERY.

TO THE EDITOR:—Please allow me a small space in your paper on Fish and Fishing. Our sea fisheries should be a subject of great importance and deserve the consideration of all classes, from a prime minister downwards. In Great Britain, fifteen years ago, according to reliable statistics, there were fishing round the coasts of those islands no less than 30,000 vessels. Of these vessels the greater number, by far, is composed of herring boats. These vessels exceed by 8,000 the number of ships which form our mercantile marine, which is the admiration and envy of the world. These 30,000 vessels are of 280,000 tons burden. The capital employed is sufficient to farm 1,500,000 acres of land. The vessels are manned by and worked by 105,000 men and boys, but, besides these men and boys, who are constantly employed at sea, there are at least 105,000 persons who, on shore, are directly connected with the sea fisheries. These figures, however—large as they are—give but a small idea of the national importance of the subject, because the sea fisheries give employment more or less directly to a still greater number of people. I may say here that it needs no study of Adam Smith to convince Hon. Mr. Beaven that the wealth and happiness of a nation depend largely upon the comparative prosperity of the workingman, and when I see that gentleman doing his best to upset the deep sea fishery scheme, when any man knows that such a fishery would be the making of this island, I am amazed. I know it is impossible to employ such a large fleet of fishing vessels as that referred to on this Coast immediately, but I am sure that if such a fishing business was started, after a few years it would pay. Look at your sealing fleet, which has increased sevenfold in number in a few years. I don't see why we cannot have sole, turbot, halibut, brill and oysters. The fish are in the sea and there they will remain until someone imports right gear to take them with. Again, the herring and haddock which we buy here are so badly smoked they make one sick to try to eat them. Whose fault is this? Why, the curer's. The Great Provider has blessed you with every fish you can wish for. But who has provided the curer and catcher? I don't know. The Government may erect parliamentary buildings and the city may put in sewers, etc., etc., but how long do these things supply work? Only for a short time. The deep sea fishing could be carried on all the year round. In fact, I believe it would in a very short time top both seal and salmon fishing and find work for those who to-day do not know where to get food.

HOPEFUL.

THE TRAMWAY.

TO THE EDITOR:—I observe by a communication from "Taxpayer" that some money has been borrowed from the Bank of British North America by the city, at five or six per cent., to pay interest on sums spent on streets cut up by the tramway company, notwithstanding that the company has lots of money in the bank drawing interest and is quite able to pay for such repairs. That is a strange proceeding. The city, as I understand it, merely granted a franchise and did not in any sense guarantee to repair the streets damaged by the company. The city should therefore pay no more money on these repairs until the company is unable to do so.

The financial condition of the concern will shortly be ascertained when an examination of the books is made in connection with the proposed purchase by the city. It is incumbent upon the Mayor and Council to see that the city's interests are protected, and with that view to order that, before any by-law is submitted to the ratepayers, a thorough examination by an expert be made of the concern's property and books. In order to help along such inquiry, I propose submitting to the ratepayers shortly an estimate showing exactly the cost of constructing a tramway like ours, together with the cost of wire, rails, cars, engines, electrical machinery, etc.

Of course everyone wishes to see the tramway become the property of the city, but most people will demand that the purchase be made with open eyes on the part of the Mayor and Council. The manner in which the tramway has been heretofore managed, taken in connection with the fact that it got stuck in the mud for several hours on last Saturday afternoon, and that the company is now in litigation over some of their contracts, suggests great watchfulness on the part of the Council.

TAXPAYER NO. 2.

THE TRAMWAY.

TO THE EDITOR:—Why is it so many are lately advocating the city fathers to take over the tramway service? Is there anything in the way they handle public concerns to warrant them expecting a better service, should the tramway be purchased by them? Look at the length of time they have been putting down the sewers. Look at the state of the streets where the sewers have been put down, they are a disgrace to any civilized city.

Try to find the electric lights burning on a dark night; or if you do happen to see one in the distance, it is sure to be out by the time you reach it. How long have the city fathers taken to mark the streets; and when, O! when is the public park to be finished?

They certainly did not show much public spiritedness in the late cold snap, or they would have enforced the by-law relating to snow lying on the sidewalks, and thus set the whole army of unemployed to work. No, I think let well enough alone. The tramway company has undoubtedly undertaken a little more than it can handle at present, and I do not think they are importing their cars from the right place, or they would not give out quite so soon; but let us wait as long as we have for the city improvements, and perhaps the service will improve.

CITIZEN.

The Latest.

A great assortment of overgaiters in ladies and gents' have arrived at Geo. H. Maynard's, 85 Douglas street.

New Novels—The Children of the King, by F. Marion Crawford; Lady Verner's Flight, by The Duchess; Blood Royal, by Grant Allen; The Chief Factor, by Gilbert Parker; Inscrutable, by Esaie Stewart; Captain Davey's Honeymoon, by Hall Caine; The Secret Quest, by Geo. Manville Fen; Asenath of the Ford, by Rita; The Ivory Gate, by Walter Besant; A Moral Dilemma, by Annie Thompson. The above for sale by T. N. HIBBEN & CO.

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DEAR SIRS,—Last year I was very thin and reducing very fast, owing to the bad state of my blood and appetite. A friend of mine induced me to get a bottle of B.B.B., which I did. I obtained immediate perceptible relief from it, have gained strength and appetite, and now weigh 193 pounds. M. T. MURPHY,
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A BY-LAW

WHEREAS it is expedient to raise a sum of money to provide for the construction of certain main surface drains in the city of Victoria as follows:

Work Estate,

View street and branches,

Spring Ridge and Fernwood road,

Cook street and branches,

Michigan and Superior streets,

Oswego street,

Menzies street,

North and South Pandora streets,

Victoria West,

And other necessary drains not specified.

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost of such works is $125,000.

AND WHEREAS for the purpose aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the city the sum of $125,000.

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $8,125 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said debt and interest hereinafter mentioned.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the corporation of the city of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1892, was $18,749,125.

AND WHEREAS it will require an annual special rate of four fifths of one mill in the dollar for the payment of the interest and for creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said new debt according to the Municipal Act, 1892.

AND WHEREAS it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

Sec. 1 It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $125,000 00 currency, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the treasurer of the said corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

Sec. 2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums as may be required, not exceeding however, the sum of $125,000 00 in currency, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1 000, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. 3. The said debentures shall be made payable in fifty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect, at the office of the treasurer of the said corporation, in the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signature of the Mayor and of the Clerk of the Corporation respectively to the coupons may be affixed by printed, stamped or lithographed fac simile.

Sec. 4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4 1-2 per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly at the office of the said treasurer.

Sec. 5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of four-fifths of one mill in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the city of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. 6. In case of any conflict, inconsistency or repugnancy between the provisions of this by-law and any provisions of the Local Improvement By-law, 1892, as amended by By-law No. 178, entitled, "A By-law to amend the Local Improvement By-law, 1892," the provisions of this by-law shall prevail and override any of the provisions of such Local Improvement By law to the extent of any such conflict, inconsistency or repugnancy, but this by-law shall not be deemed to in any wise repeal, alter or amend such Local Improvement By-law and amendment, except in so far as this by-law is concerned, and then so far only as is necessary to give full force and effect to this by-law.

Sec. 7. This by-law shall before the passage thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said corporation in a manner provided for by the Municipal Act, 1892, or any amendment thereto, and shall take effect on the first day of May, 1893.

Sec. 8. This by-law may be cited as "The Surface Drains By-law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council this 27th day of March, 1893.

Re-considered, adopted and finally passed the Council on the day of , 1893.

TAKE NOTICE

That the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the Electors will be taken at Burnes' building, Bastion Square, for the Central; at the City Hall, Pandora street, for the North Ward, and at a building situated on the east side of Government street, between Broughton and Courtney streets, and known as No. 27, for the South Ward, in the City of Victoria, on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of April instant, and that the poll will be kept open between the hours of eight o'clock a.m. and four p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., April 1st, 1893. ap1

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor in regard to the grading of and laying sidewalks upon Stanley Avenue, between Fort Street and Mr. Andean's property, and Montrose Avenue, between Blackwood and Jones Streets, showing the proportion in which the assessment is proposed to be made on the various portions of the real property benefited by the said improvements respectively, in accordance with the "Local Improvement By-Law," are now open for inspection at the Office of the City Assessor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., March 30, 1893. ap2

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WARNING.

Notice is hereby given that all parties are warned against trespassing or purchasing any part of the lands comprised in the following pre-emption records on Campbell River or Duncan's Bay about the so called town of Duluth, as all the following parties or persons purchasing therefrom are trespassers. We are informed that some of these persons have had a portion of the land surveyed as townsite and are endeavoring to impose the lots on the public:

Name.	No. of P.R.	Date.	Acr's.
F. Nurms	222	4th Sep. 1889	160
M. Phipps	176	17th Dec 1889	160
A. J. Galergno	511	7th Oct. 1891	160
Brown & Crawford	558	7th Dec. 1891	320
John McKenzie	587	4th Jan. 1892	[illegible]
Campbell & Smith	603	20th Feb. 1892	
J. M. Leigh	660	6th June 1892	

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A CORRECTION.

To the Editor: An advertisement appears in your columns which does us and many others a great injustice. I refer to that of Ross, McLaren & Co. re the townsite of Duluth. None of the land referred to in the advertisement is in any way connected with the townsite of Duluth. Our land, as well as any other that has been platted or added to Duluth is ours in fee simple by virtue of a crown grant issued two years ago, and the title is indisputable.

Very respectfully,
KING & CASEY.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Sections 9, 10 and 11, North Range 1, West, in the District of North Saanich.

WHEREAS the certificate of Indefeasible Title of Henry Beecroft Jackson to the above hereditaments bearing date the 23rd day of March, 1870, has been lost or destroyed and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate; notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, March 4, 1893. mch5

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing and known as CALLBREATH, GRANT & COOK, doing business as General Merchants in Cassiar, B.C., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or due by the late firm will be settled by John Cowan Callbreath and George W. Cook.

JOHN C. CALLBREATH.
JOHN GRANT.
GEORGE W. COOK,
By his Attorney in fact,
John C. Callbreath.

Witness for all—JOS FLETCHER.
Victoria, B.C., 11th March, 1893. mc12-1m

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TIME TABLE No. 17,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday September 30th, 1892. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

STATIONS.	Miles f'm Vic.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	Mls f'm Welgn	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No 3 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.
		A.M	P.M			P.M
VICTORIA		De 8.00	De 2.30	78	Ar 12.24	Ar 5.58
RUSSELL'S	1	" 8.04	" 2.34	77	" 12.20	" 5.54
ESQUIMALT	4	" 8.14	" 2.44	74	" 12.10 P.M	" 5.44
GOLDSTREAM	11	" 8.39	" 3.09	67	" 11.45 A.M	" 5.19
SUMMIT SIDING	20	" 9.14	" 3.38	58	" 11.10	" 4.50
SHAWNIGAN L'K	28	" 9.34	" 4.04	50	" 10.50	" 4.24
COBBLE HILL	31	" 9.44	" 4.14	47	" 10.40	" 4.14
McPHERSON'S	35	" 9.57	" 4.29	43	" 10.27	" 3.59
KOKSILAH	38	" 10.07	" 4.39	40	" 10.17	" 3.49
DUNCAN'S	40	" 10.12	" 4.44	38	" 10.12	" 3.44
SOMENOS	43	" 10.22	" 4.54	35	" 10.02	" 3.34
CHEMAINUS	52	" 10.48	" 5.16	26	" 9.36	" 3.12
OYSTER BAY S'G	59	" 11.03	" 5.33	19	" 9.15	" 2.55
NANAIMO	73	Ar 11.50 / De 11.5[illegible]	" 6.14	5	De 8.34 / Ar 8.2[illegible]	" 2.14
WELLINGTON	78	Ar 12.1[illegible] P.M	Ar 6.29		De 8.10 A.M	De 1.59 P.M

On Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter, good for return not later than Monday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for seven days, including day of issue.

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8.00 am	Ml	Lv....Tacoma.....Ar	110	5.15 am
10.15 am	28	......Seattle......	82	3.00 am
1.30 pm	72	. Port Townsend .	38	11.45 pm
4.30 pm	110	Ar ...Victoria.... Lv	Ml	8.30 pm

Steamers City of Kingston and City of Seattle make connections at Port Townsend for passengers from Bellingham Bay points to Victoria and return.

WHATCOM ROUTE.
S.S. "CITY OF SEATTLE"

6.00 pm	Ml	Lv....‖Tacoma....Ar	132	4.30 pm
9.00 pm	28	......Seattle......	100	2.30 pm
12.15 am	72	. Port Townsend .	55	11.30 am
2.45 am	101	.... Anacortes	21	9.15 am
7.45 am	123	Ar... Fairhaven....	3	8.00 am
6.10 am	131	......Sehome.....	1	7.30 am
4.30 am	132	Ar....Whatcom ...Lv	Ml	6.00 am

‖Close connections with Northern Pacific trains from Portland and San Francisco.

Steamers City of Kingston and City of Seattle make close connections at Tacoma wharf with trains to and from Portland, and with the east and west bound overland trains.

PORT TOWNSEND MAIL ROUTE.

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11 00 pm	28	Lv....*Seattle.....Ar	5?	
12.30 am	35	.. Port Madison ..	47	2.10 pm
	45	.....Kingston.....	41	
3 00 am	49	...Port Gamble...	21	11.00 am
4.00 am	73	...Port Ludlow...	13	10.00 am
6.00 am	85	Ar..Pt.Townsend .Lv	Ml	8.00 am

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* Daily except Sunday.
† Daily except Saturday.
‖ Daily except Monday.

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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Steamers of the Northern Pacific Line Hereafter to Carry United States Mail.

Launch of the Schooner "Kilmeny"—The Empress of India—Water Front Gossip.

An order has been issued from the United States post office headquarters at Washington, D.C., directing the postmaster at Tacoma to exchange mails with the offices of Yokohama, Japan, and Shanghai and Hongkong, China, by means of the steamers plying between Tacoma and Hongkong. The first despatch is to be sent away April 18. That the announcement was received with satisfaction by residents of the City of Destiny having business abroad goes without saying, and it will no doubt be equally gratifying to the Northern Pacific steamship company or Dodwell, Carlill & Co., the owners of the line. It is expected that the change will expedite mails to and from Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and North Dakota, and the Orient. The N. P. company ever since its inauguration has been endeavoring to have this rule made. The advantages gained by it to Tacoma are many. The City of Destiny is forty-eight hours from San Francisco and would have to mail letters two clear days before the departure of the Pacific Mail line, and nearly the same time before the departure of the Empresses from Victoria. Under the new rule they will have direct communication and by more rapid means than the San Francisco line, Tacoma being nearer the Orient than San Francisco. Some time ago the B. C. Board of Trade passed a strong resolution urging upon the post office department of Canada the advisability of utilizing the Northern Pacific line when possible to send mail to the Orient. This was not intended to interfere with the Canadian Pacific fast steamers in any way, but, as one of the members present at the meeting said, "We want our mail to get to its destination as quickly as possible and don't care what line is utilized so long as we get quick despatch." The Canadian Government will now perhaps follow suit.

THE EMPRESS AWAY.

The C.P.R. steamship Empress of India departed for China and Japan last evening, carrying a comparatively small cargo but a large number of passengers. The tug Sadie acted as tender and took out as passengers from Victoria: Geo. Byrnes, L. H. and J. H. Crake, of San Francisco; Mrs. E. C. G. Robinson, and fifty Chinese. Those who booked from other cities are as follows: Mr. Mark Baggallay, New York; Miss Beddie, Philadelphia; Mr. Callum, Philadelphia; Mr. A. G. H. Carhill, Philadelphia; Miss Coleman, Philadelphia; Mr. H. Cockburn, London; Mr. Craven, London; Mrs. J. W. Elminger, Saratoga Springs; Mrs. Foster, London; Miss Fuller, Troy, N. Y.; Mr. J. Gibbens, Foochow; Miss L. L. Gibbens, Foochow; Miss A. B. Gibbens, Foochow; Miss Harding, Saratoga Springs; Mr. J. Hawes, Saratoga Springs; Mr. Heath, Saratoga Springs; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Henderson, Saratoga Springs; Miss Holland, Detroit; Mr. Jacobson, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. G. Johnston, Colorado Springs; Mr. Keene, Colorado; Mr. W. D. Lowe, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. E. Mast, Miss Mast and Master Mast, Montreal; Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Ost, New York; Mr. Charles Overbeck, New York; Mr. E. W. Pugh, New York; Mr. J. Richard, New York; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Richard, London; Mr. Ringer, London; Miss Rogers, London; Mr. Russell, London; Mr. C. B. Steadman, San Francisco; Mr. G. Stewart, San Francisco; Mr. E. R. Smith, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Spuring, Salem, Mass; Count de Spangen, San Francisco; Mr. Sproule, San Francisco, Rev. and Mrs. N. W. Utley, Detroit. Second saloon—Miss Morris, New York. From this out the steamers will run more regularly and frequently, and it is expected a ship will be arriving and departing every two weeks.

THE UNION PACIFIC'S INTENTIONS.

Capt. Rathbone, port captain of the Union Pacific, has as yet received no official information regarding the question which is of considerable interest to steamboat men just now, whether the Union Pacific steamers will be put on again. He stated Sunday that while he had not been officially informed, he thought some arrangements had been made between the Northern Pacific and the Union Pacific Companies by which Union Pacific boats would be put under charter to the Northern Pacific, connected with some subsidy arrangements, he did not know exactly what. If this should prove true the idea of competition, that has been talked of so much lately, will prove to have been a false alarm. It is not known what boats are likely to be chartered to the Northern Pacific, but the Schome would undoubtedly be one of them. An inventory of the Schome's equipment is now being taken by W. C. Islette, of Portland, port steward of the Union Pacific, who is in Seattle for that purpose.

LAUNCH OF THE "KILMENY."

The new schooner built above Point Ellice bridge for Mr. F. A. Nicholson, was christened the Kilmeny as she slid into the water at high tide last evening. Miss Amy Bailey was at her bow when she started down the ways, and in the presence of a large number of spectators, performed the usual ceremonies. The vessel is a trim and apparently staunch little craft, of which Mr. Nicholson is owner and builder. She is a 20-ton boat, having a 42 foot keel, beam 14 feet, and hold six feet deep. The Kilmeny is to be ready for sealing about the middle of this month, and will be commanded by Captain Donald McCrae, Mr. Nicholson also accompanying her on her expedition. She will probably come alongside some wharf to-day and have her masts placed.

MARINE NOTES.

The U. S. revenue cutter Bear, now in San Francisco, has received orders to take the old warship Iroquois in tow as far as Port Townsend, when she sails north this season. The Iroquois having been condemned as a sea ship has been assigned as a quarantine hulk for Puget Sound.

Exceptions to the libel brought against the Haytian Republic by H. W. Baker for loss occasioned by the destruction of Baker's wharf, Seattle, on November 30, have been confessedi n the United States Court. One of the chief objections is that the case is not properly one of marine tort.

The tug Lorne had steam up last evening for the first time since she has been laid up for repairs. To complete the overhauling it is understood the steamer will be placed in the drydock, probably to-day, to have her bottom examined and cleaned.

The "reliable" Carmanah Point wire was down again Sunday and yesterday, preventing the receipt of any further news from the Village Island wreck. This time the trouble on the line is beyond Otter Point.

It is understood the case of the steamer Cariboo and Fly, for carrying passengers without a license, will be investigated in the city police court this morning.

Steamer Danube did not, as was expected, sail for the North last evening, but will leave to-night. She will have a big freight and passenger list.

British bark Java has been chartered for lumber cargo from Bellingham Bay for New Caledonia.

The bark Sigurd, now in Royal Roads, will tow up to the Hastings mill to-day.

The C.P.R. s.s. Empress of Japan is due here from Japan next Tuesday.

ENTERED.

Str. Islander	from	Vancouver.
" North Pacific	"	Port Townsend.
" Yosemite	"	N. Westminster.
" Umatilla	"	San Francisco.
" Barbara Boscowitz	"	Port Simpson.
" Hope	"	Savary Island.
Bark Sigurd	"	San Francisco.

CLEARED.

Str. Islander	for	Vancouver.
" North Pacific	"	Port Townsend.
" Yosemite	"	N. Westminster.
" Umatilla	"	Port Townsend.
" Joan	"	Nanaimo.
" Falcon	"	"
Bark Sigurd	"	Vancouver.

AUSTRIA'S ARMY.

Proposal of the War Office to Increase Its Strength and Effectiveness—Cost of the Departure.

VIENNA, April 2.—Despite the repeated denials, it is certain that the war office plans shortly to increase the present effectiveness of the Austrian army. While the project to introduce generally the two-year term and thus raise the actual strength of the standing army to 324,000, has been postponed indefinitely the Government has decided not to relinquish entirely some of its features. The landwehr is to be reorganized according to the two-year system, and each of the twenty-five infantry regiments is to receive an addition of 144 men. The field artillery, moreover, will be strengthened with twenty-eight new batteries. The total initial cost of the changes is estimated at about 20,000,000 florins.

FROM ALASKA.

Thanks From the Indians of Metlakahtla—Public Works in the Territory.

Miners for the Yukon Country—Impetus to Be Given to the Industry.

SEATTLE, April 2.—The Alaska mail which arrived yesterday brought the following letter written by one of the Indians at Father Duncan's mission to Fischer & Macdonald:

METLAKAHTLA, Alaska, March 27, 1893.—To Those Who Have Helped Us in Our Distress—*Dear Friends:* We desire to express our most sincere thanks for the help we have received from you.

Our pen cannot describe the gratitude we feel for the sympathy you have shown in sharing with us our loss. The fire has destroyed our houses and other comforts, but the work of the flames has not surprised us as much as the tokens of friendship we have received.

The Metlakahtla fire only uncovered "the hidden treasure" which is in Christianity and civilization. Nothing else would have prompted such sympathy for our suffering. God loveth a cheerful giver.

We are happy and thankful to receive your unexpected help in this our time of need. The Lord bless you all for your kindness. "It is more blessed to give than to receive." For the people of Metlakahtla,

DAVID LEASK.

The sum of $21,000 was set apart this year by the general government, out of the annual appropriations, for improvement, repairs and preservation of public buildings in Alaska. Repairs have already been made on buildings at Sitka, Kodiak and Sand Point. Repairs have been ordered on public buildings at Wrangel and Ounalaska. It was thought the balance yet on hand is sufficient to repair the castle and United States jail at Sitka. Three bids were received and forwarded to Washington City. Probably if these do not exceed the balance on hand the repairs will be pushed to completion at an early date.

On March 18 forty-four Yukon miners left Juneau on the steam launch Yukon for Chilkat or Dyea. This is said to be the largest party that ever left here at one time. The City of Topeka when it reached Juneau March 24, brought up about thirty men for the Yukon. These, with what are now here, will make up a party of over forty that started on March 27.

L. L. Williams, national World's Fair commissioner from Alaska, came down from that country on the City of Topeka, and is stopping at the Arlington. He has been in Alaska for the past six years, and was formerly United States commissioner stationed at Juneau. He is also largely interested in mining properties, and on this subject said last night: "The indications are that a very decided impetus will be given to the mining industry in our country this year. The success which has attended several ventures in this line has attracted considerable attention in the East, and I have just received a letter from an Eastern capitalist making inquiry for some good low-grade gold properties in Alaska. Most of the mines which are being worked now are gold propositions, or silver propositions which are being worked for the gold contained in the ore, but there are quite a number of good silver mines there also. I have one on which my miners packed the ore on horses down the mountains one and one-half miles to the beach, shipped it to Tacoma, where it netted $3.50 a day for each man. I have here a mill return on fourteen tons of Silver Queen ore which shows three ounces gold and one hundred and six ounces silver per ton, the whole shipment being worth $1,822.42."

The Height of Admiration.

A young girl, not remarkably proficient on the parlor organ, had been playing a quickstep to a small company of friends.

Some one praised her playing, and she modestly disclaimed merit, saying:

"I wouldn't play before folks, but pa said I must if he bought me an organ. I shall play better some time," she ended with, an air of feeling pretty well satisfied, after all, with her recent performance.

"You do beautifully," remarked an old lady, evidently intending to be complimentary. "Why, most persons who couldn't play better'n you wouldn't pay at all."—Youth's Companion.

CAN YOU THINK?

Can you think of a worse disease than dyspepsia, it plunges its victim in gloom and despondency, makes him a burden to himself and others, and causes constipation and bad blood. Yet Burdock Blood Bitters cures dyspepsia or indigestion, and has done so in thousands of cases.

TENDERS.

TO :: QUARRY :: OWNERS.

The undersigned will be glad to receive sample of Sandstone, dressed and undressed, from quarry owners, with particulars of amount procurable, price per cubic foot, etc.

F. M. RATTENBURY,
Architect for the Government Buildings, Victoria, B.C.

Vancouver News-Advertiser and World and Nanaimo Free Press copy. ap2-1w

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Separate and lump sealed tenders will be received on or before Saturday noon, 8th April, 1893, for the erection and completion of a building, to be erected on lot 28, section F, Hillside avenue, Victoria; for the directors of the Protestant Orphans' Home.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned, who will receive the tenders.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOMAS HOOPER,
ap2-3t Architect.

DISTRICT OF BURNABY.

$25,000 of Debenture Bonds for Sale.

TENDERS are invited for Debenture Bonds for $25,000 to be issued by the Corporation of the District of Burnaby on 1st June next, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum and payable 50 years after date.

This loan forms the first and only charge against the District, which according to the Assessment Roll now made up is valued at $1,500,669. This valuation does not include about 1800 acres of first class land which is still held by the Government.

The District lies between the Cities of New Westminster and Vancouver, and as regards a considerable area is practically Suburban. It is traversed by the Canadian Pacific Railway, and the Inter-urban Electric Tramway; and the Northern Pacific Railway Company is about to construct a line through it.

The object of the loan is to enable the Council to build new roads through the district, and these will greatly enhance the value of the property.

Further particulars may be had on application to Messrs. Philip Kerr & Co., 46 Lorne street, New Westminster, and sealed tenders must be lodged with the Chairman of the Finance Committee, care of Councillor William Johnston, Box 205, New Westminster, on or before the 1st day of May, 1893.

The Council do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any offer.

46 Lorne Street, New Westminster, 30th March, 1893. al-1-1m

TENDERS.

Seperate tenders, accompanied by samples will be received at the office of the uncersigned until Wednesday, the 29th inst., at 4 p.m., for supplying

Summer Uniforms and Shoes to the Police Force

Specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of Police.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, March 23, 1893. mc24

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders endorsed "Board of Health Building" will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before Wednesday, the 29th inst., at 4 p.m., for erecting a

Building for Board of Health Purposes

on the Market Grounds in this city.

Plans and specifications can be seen and examined at the office of the City Engineer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
Victoria, March 24, 1893. mo25 C.M.C.

NOTICE is hereby given that tenders for the construction and equipment of the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company, complete in all respects, will be received by the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company, up to noon of April 17th, 1893, at the office of the Company, Government street, Victoria, B. C. Plans, specifications, conditions of tender, and all details to be had at the Company's office.

The Company reserve the right to reject any or all tenders.

P. C. Dunlevy, President. Robert Irving, Secretary. VICTORIA AND SIDNEY RAILWAY COMPANY. mc 6

LOST—Strayed, from the corner of Yates street and Fernwood road, a brindle St. Bernard pup answering to the name of "Prince." Finder will oblige by returning same to Thomas Hooper, architect, corner of Yates and Fernwood. mc31

FINE GROCERIES. . . .

Crosse & Blackwell's Goods.
Anchovy Paste and Essence.
Bloater Paste . . . .
Cambridge Sausages . .
Oxford Sausages . . .
Canned Fish . . . .
Pickles and Sauces . . .
Jams and Jellies . . .

HUDSON'S BAY CO.,
ap24 VICTORIA.

TAKE NOTICE.

That I shall not be responsible for any debts unless contracted by my authority in writing. Dated this 20th day of March, A. D., 1893.

JACOB MUNDORF,
mc23-2m-d&w of Bonaparte.

Dr. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.

THE ORIGINAL and ONLY GENUINE

Vice-Chancellor Sir W. PAGE WOOD stated publicly in court that Dr. J. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of Chlorodyne, that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that it had been sworn to.—*Times*, July 13 1864.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE IS THE BEST AND MOST CERTAIN REMEDY IN COUGHS, COLDS, ASTHMA, CONSUMPTION, NEURALGIA RHEUMATISM, &c.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE—The Right Hon. Earl RUSSELL communicated to the College of Physicians and J. T. Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—*See Lancet*, Dec. 31, 1864.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE is prescribed by scores of orthodox practitioners. Of course it would not be thus singularly popular did it not "supply a want and fill a place."—*Medical Times*, Jan. 12, 1885.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE is a certain cure for Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics, &c.

CAUTION — None genuine without the words "Dr. J. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne," on the stamp. Overwhelming medical testimony accompanies each bottle. Sole manufacturer. J. T. DAVENPORT, 33 Great Russell St., London. Sold at 1s. 1½d., 2s. 9d., 4s. 6d.

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STEAMERS AND S . . .

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY

Royal Mail Steamship Line.

THE IMPERIAL SHORT ROUTE TO

CHINA & JAPAN

TABLE OF SAILING:
(Subject to change and individual postponement.)

STEAMSHIPS.	Arrive Victoria About	Leave Victoria
Empress of China ..	Feb. 15, 1893	Mar. 6, 1893
Empress of India ...	Mar. 15, "	April 3, "
Empress of Japan ..	April 12, "	April 24, "
Empress of China...	May 3, "	May 15, "
Empress of India...	May 24, "	June 5, "
Empress of Japan ..	June 14, "	June 26, "
Empress of China...	July 5, "	July 17, "
Empress of India...	July 26, "	Aug. 7, "
Empress of Japan ..	Aug. 16, "	Aug. 28, "
Empress of China ..	Sept. 6, "	Sept. 18, "
Empress of India...	Sept. 27, "	Oct. 16, "
Empress of Japan ..	Oct. 25, "	Nov. 13, "
Empress of China ..	Nov 22, "	Dec. 11, "

And about every month thereafter.

This New Steamship Route between the American Continent and Japan and China is 300 miles shorter than any other route, and as the contract for the carriage of the mails requires a fast speed, the time hitherto taken to reach the Orient has been materially lessened.

TICKETS to and from all points on American European and Asiatic Continents.

For full particulars apply to

ALLAN CAMERON, Agent,
Corner Fort and Government streets.

GEO. McL. BROWN
Dist. Pass. Agent,
Vancouver, B.C. fe23

PACIFIC COAST S. S. CO.

DESPATCH A STEAMER EVERY SEVEN days for San Francisco, carrying Her Majesty's mails, from Outer Wharf at 11 a.m.

UMATILLA - - - April 9

R. P. RITHET & CO.,
mch26 Agents.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

STEAMER JOAN
J. E. BUTLER, Master.

On and after March 22nd, 1893

The Steamer JOAN will sail as follows, calling at Way Ports as Freight and Passengers may offer:

Leave Victoria, Tuesday, 5 a. m.
" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesday, 7 a.m
" Comox for Valdez Island, every alternate Thursday, 7 a.m. (returning same day.)
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or state rooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria Station Store street. fe4

C. P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 19,
Takes effect March 25, 1893.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender Island—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports every Monday at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.

Union Steamship Co., B.C., Ltd.

Head Office and Wharf, Vancouver, B.C.

Vancouver and Nanaimo—SS. Cutch leaves C.P.R. wharf daily at 1 p.m., returning from Nanaimo at 7 a.m. Cargo at Company's wharf until noon.

Vancouver and Comox—SS. Comox leaves Company's wharf every Monday at 8 a.m. for Comox direct, returning on Tuesday.

Vancouver and Northern Logging Camps and Settlements—SS. Comox leaves Company's wharf every Wednesday at 11 a.m. for Gibson's Landing, Sechelt, Welcome Pass, Lund, Cortez and Read Island, returning the same route; and to Port Neville and way ports every alternate week.

☞ Steamers and Scows always available for Excursion, Towing and Freighting Business. Ample storing accommodation on Company's wharf. Particulars on application to office.

WM. WEBSTER, Manager,
Telephone 94. feb14 P. O. Box 217

NOTICE.

Parties indebted to the estate of A. Lewis & Co. are cautioned not to pay their account to any but E. Langley who is authorized to collect the bills due to the estate.

Dated 28th March, 1893

S. PERRY MILLS,
mc29-1mo Solicitor for Trustees.

NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing under the name of Reid & Johnston, of Quesnelle Mouth, district of Cariboo, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm are to be paid to James Reid, who will assume all liabilities of the same.

JAMES REID.
W. A. JOHNSTON.
Witness, GEO. B. CLARKE. ja20-1m-d&w

REMOVAL.

JNO. TEAGUE,

ARCHITECT.

Has removed to new offices corner of Broad Street and Trounce Avenue.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

FRIDAY, the 31st day of March, instant, and Monday, the 3rd day of April, proximo, being Statute holidays, the Public Offices will be closed on those days.

By Command.

JAMES BAKER
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
23rd March, 1893. mc28-td

Notice of Sale by Sheriff.

PURSUANT TO THE "EXECUTION ACT."

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

JOHN CAMPBELL

AMD

THE KOOTENAY, B.C., SMELTING & TRADING SYNDICATE (LD.)

IN obedience to a writ of fi. fa. issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated the 11th day of February, 1893, and to me directed in the above-named suit, for the sum of $10,181.23, and $3.50 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on $10,458.31, at 6 per cent. per annum, from the 20th day of January, 1893, until payment, besides Sheriff's fees, poundage and all other expenses of this execution, I have seized and will sell by Public Auction the following goods on THURSDAY THE 2ND DAY OF MARCH, 1893, at the Kootenay, B.C., Smelting & Trading Syndicate (Limited) works, near Revelstoke, B.C., at 12 o'clock noon, to satisfy the judgment debt and costs of this action, if the said amounts are not sooner paid.

LIST OF GOODS SEIZED.

1 stationary hoisting engine and hoisting gear
1 stationary engine and fixtures in lower engine-room.
1 fan blast fixtures.
1 Gurney scale, capacity 3,500 lbs.
1 large stationary engine.
1 steam pump.
5 iron wheelbarrows.
2 large oil tanks, with pumps.
2 jack screws.
50 feet rubber hose.
50 feet band iron.
200 feet hemp rope.
5 boxes window glass.
17 slag pots, small.
2 " large.
16 moulds, quantity crushed ore, wire rope, charcoal and coke, number of metal castings, pulleys, belts, etc.

REDGRAVE,
Sheriff of Kootenay.

Dated at Donald, 20th February, 1893.

The above sale is adjourned till Wednesday, March 8th, 1893, at same place and hour.

S. REDGRAVE,
mch3 Sheriff.

The above sale is further adjourned till Monday, March 27th, at same place and hour.

S. REDGRAVE,
mc9 Sheriff.

IN USE 100 YEARS.

THE

POOR MAN'S FRIEND

Dr. Roberts' OINTMENT

SKIN DISEASES. This VALUABLE OINTMENT (as originally prepared by G. L. ROBERTS, M.D. is confidently recommended as an unfailing remedy for Wounds of every description, Chilblains, Scorbutic Eruptions, Burns, Sore and Inflamed Eyes, Eczema, &c.

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Dr. ROBERTS' ALTERATIVE PILLS FOR THE BLOOD and SKIN.

SKIN DISEASES. They are useful in Scrofula Scorbutic Complaints,
SKIN DISEASES. Glandular Swellings, particularly those of the neck;
SKIN DISEASES. they are very effectual in the cure of that form of
SKIN DISEASES. skin disease which shows itsels in painful cracks in
SKIN DISEASES. the skin of the hands and in all scaly diseases.

They may be taken at all times without confinement or change of diet.

Sold at 1s. 1½d., 2s. 9d., 11s. and 22s. each, by the Proprietors, Bridport, England. my20

$50 FOR A CHICKEN.

To create an interest in the breeding of high class poultry, I will award a special prize of $50 00 cash to the person raising the heaviest Plymouth Rock chicken hatched from eggs purchased off me.

Plymouth Rocks are unquestionably the best breed of fowls known for the Canadian farmer. Send for descriptive Circular of this valuable breed of fowls.

Eggs for hatching, guaranteed fresh and true to name, carefully packed in baskets and delivered to Express Company, $2.00 per sitting of 13. Address T. A. WILLETS,

Breeder of Plymouth Rock Fowls,
ap23 Weston, Ont.

FOR SALE.

The Property of the Late James F. Ford (Deceased).

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned up to June 1st, 1893, for the following property, viz: Seven thousand five hundred paid-up shares in the South Fork Mining Claim, situated within three miles of the Town of Quesnelle Forks, Cariboo District.

Parties may tender for the above en bloc, or it will be sold in six lots of one thousand shares each and one of fifteen hundred shares. No tender for less than one thousand shares nor more than seven thousand five hundred will be received.

We also offer for sale a fine five mule team, consisting of five work mules, two fully equipped freight wagons with double action brakes, doubletrees, lead bars, chains, etc., also two sets harness. A first-class outfit for any one who wishes to go training on the Cariboo Road. Terms cash

JOHN MURPHY, FRED. ROSE, JAMES BAIN, } Executors of Ford Estate.

P.O. Address, 150-Mile House, Cariboo Road, B.C. mc31

The Colonist.

TUESDAY APRIL 4, 1893.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, April 4, 1893.

Sun rises - - - 5.31 a.m. | Sun sets .....6.33 p.m.
Moon rises 10.32 p.m.

Day of the year, 94th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, April 2, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p. m.

1 a. m..	37°	Mean 40°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	36°		
9 a. m..	36°	Highest 48°	5 a.m.—4 N.
1 p. m..	44°		1 p.m.—12 S.W.
5 p. m..	44°	Lowest 34°	9 p.m.—8 E.
9 p. m..	41°		Rain—.4.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

ESQUIMALT STATION, April 3, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	28°	Mean 40°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	29°		5a.m.—20 S.E.
9 a. m..	41°	Highest 45°	1 p.m.—8 S.E.
1 p. m..	45°		9 p.m.—20 S.E.
5 p. m..	38°	Lowest 37°	
9 p. m..	40°		Rain—.29.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. UMATILLA from San Francisco—E Finlayson, Mrs Broderick, J F Hale, Miss Irene Moir, R Cooper, A McBean and wife, J A Moore, Miss M H Moir, Mrs Erb and two daughters, C Strouss, Mrs Norton and sister, W R Jackson, A B Reynolds.

Per Str. NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound—F Hall and wife, J Smith and wife, Mrs Cross, F C Boulton, F M Robertson, W R Robertson, A Underwood, J Miller, J Carmon, E Schultz, A Stewart, S A Merchesky, W Christian, Mrs D Grant, J F Islip and mother, J Kreted, Billy Bentley and wife, Ned Cameron, F Paul and wife, Mrs Thorburn, W Bains, Miss Keith, Miss Buckingham Miss C Pope, S G Todd and wife, S Freeman and wife, Miss Smith, R Benedict, D A Cameron, W Baird, W Evans, F Watson, H Sutterfield, Henry Robb, O Pillson, Ed Kelly, Ed Brow, Wm Barlow, J W Hopensock, F Campbell, Wm Allen, H P Chamberlain, Jack Gardner, C P Mallory, J M Lord, A C Trayner, J Pattison, C Miller, C B Hunt, F R Creed, C S Rich, F Holland, C Kittinger, F Horrell, Miss Todd, P Hughes.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. UMATILLA from San Francisco—Alice & Ault, A J Rowbotham, A R Johnston, C S Philp, C Bologna, Chipman, Morgan & Co, Carne & Munsie, D R Ross & Co, E G Prior & Co, Erskine, Wall & Co, E J Newbegin, Findlay, Durham & Brodie, F Norris, G W Hendry, H J Trapp & Co, H B Co, H Bornstein, Hong Lee, J and A Clearihue, J H Todd & Son, Johns Bros, J Somers, J Lawson, J H Falconer & Co, J G Hutcheison & Co, Langley & Co, Ledingham Bros, Lennon, Gonneson & Co, L E Erb, R Bantly, Mrs Dobson, M V W Mayo, Nicholles & Renouf, On Hing Bros, P McQuade & Son, P J Davies Quintard & Packard, R P Rithet & Co, R Baker & Son, R Porter & Sons, Royal City Planing Mills, S Leiser, S L Kelly & Co, Spratt & Gray, Sun Wo Lung, Sidney Shore, S W Fletcher, T Earle, Ames Holden Co, Vale & Brooks, Weiler Bros, Wilson Bros, Ward & Co, Yuet Lung Wy Kee, Wells, Fargo & Co.

Per Str. NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound—H Dumbleton, T R Morrow, Lenz & Leiser, J Hilbert, Union Ice Co, H Saunders, W R Chestey, Yee Yick & Co, W H Gatsell.

DIED.

GALLICKSON—In this city, on the 1st inst., John Gallickson, a native of Norway, aged 70 years.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday, at 2 o'clock, from Hayward's Undertaking Parlors, No. 52 Government street. Friends are invited to attend.

THE SPICE OF LIFE.

Jamet's Kid Gloves

At The White House, and every pair guaranteed. 4 Buttons $1.00. 7 Hooks $1.25. None genuine unless stamped with the makers' initials, J. F. & P.

mc16-1mo HENRY YOUNG & Co.

Through passage to or from Europe via any of the Atlantic lines can be most cheaply arranged at C. P. R. Office, corner Fort and Government streets.

John Bull ranges at Cheapside.

Trout

fishing opens on the 15th. Get your tackle at Fox's, 78 Government street. A fine variety to select from.

Boys' Wagons and Velocipedes, at Weiler Bros.

Try the M. M. best razor, warranted. Sold only by McLennan & McFeely.

90 pieces of Linoleums, in latest patterns, all qualities, just received by Weiler Bros.

If you have cold take Cubb's Cough Cure—save ourself from La Grippe. Sold in Victoria by the following respectable druggists Geo. Morison, Thomas Shotbolt, Dean & Cryderman.

Do Not Miss

Reading this item, as Lange & Co. did not succeed in selling their business for the figure agreed to to their Eastern friend, nor in disposing of all of their stock this Christmas to the public. And as the building wherein they have conducted business for the last 17 years is to be destroyed shortly and a new one erected in place, under the circumstances Lange & Co. are obliged to re-open in their own place, No. 86 Douglas street, opposite Odd Fellows' hall. Reduced sales will continue until goods which are left are sold. Any one wishing to secure a good going business established since 30 years, can do so at a very reasonable figure. And the new premises can be rented at a moderate rate.

Earthquake in Sicily.

CATANIA, April 3.—A severe earthquake shook the villages in the vicinity of Mount Ætna, Sicily, on Sunday. The inhabitants, fearing a destructive outburst of the volcano or a calamitous shock of earthquake, fled from their homes to the open country, and remain there awaiting in great terror what may happen. The earthquake already felt was severe enough to cause much damage to property.

Don't fool with indigestion. Take BEECHAM'S PILLS.

THE RED RIVER.

The red river of life is the blood, like other rivers it sometimes becomes impure, but unlike other rivers it only needs Burdock Blood Bitters to perfectly purify it and remove all its disorders from a common pimple to the worst scrofulous sore.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Fire at Uxbridge.

UXBRIDGE, Ont., April 3.—The residence of John Bell was burned this morning with the greater part of the contents. The loss is about covered by insurance.

Educational Association.

TORONTO, April 3.—The Ontario Educational Association convened here this morning with teachers in attendance from all parts of the province. The convention is the first held by the association since its reorganization and promises to be the most important ever held in Ontario. By tomorrow it is expected the public and high school teachers will be present.

Counterfeiter Released.

KINGSTON, April 3.—Bent and White, the former of whom was arrested some years ago while taking lunch at the Grand Trunk railway restaurant for uttering and passing counterfeit Bank of England notes in Canada, were released from the penitentiary here on Thursday. White is an expert forger.

Young Conservatives' Convention.

TORONTO, April 3.—The idea of a Dominion convention of Young Conservatives has been under discussion for some time. The Toronto association has received communications from many associations, including that at Winnipeg, all favoring a convention being held. If it takes place Montreal will likely be chosen as the place of meeting.

Provincial Voters' List Appeals.

TORONTO, April 3.—About twelve thousand appeals in connection with the voters list for the Local House were tendered during the month of March. Of these ten thousand were collected by the two political parties in about equal numbers.

Farmers for the Northwest.

MONTREAL, April 3.—Sandison, the bonanza farmer of Brandon, Man., arrived in Montreal, by way of New York, with a party of men for the Northwest.

Hanlan to go Into Training.

TORONTO, April 3.—Edward Hanlan, the oarsman, leaves for Newark, N.J., to-morrow, to train for his race with Gaudaur for the championship of America.

FIGHTING IN BRAZIL.

The State Troops Driven Back in Rio Grande do Sul.

RIO JANEIRO, April 5.—Details have reached here of the battle fought on March 27 at Alegrete, in the state of Rio Grande do Sul, between the Government troops and revolutionists. The slaughter of the state troops was frightful, while the loss of the revolutionists was also very heavy. The revolutionists held an entrenched position at Alegrete, and when the state troops attempted to drive them from their vantage ground they made a most desperate and successful resistance. There were 1,500 combatants engaged on both sides, and of this number 500 were killed and a very large number wounded. The state troops were driven back and the revolutionists have now undisputed sway in Alegrete, which is used as their base of operations against the Government. It is stated that the state troops will be reinforced and another attempt made to drive the insurgents from their position. The national Government has as yet taken no active steps to support the state Government.

PROGRESS OF CHOLERA.

Special Corps of Doctors and Nursing Sisters Organized in Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—The Zemstvo-sor district and provincial assemblies throughout Russia are organizing special corps of doctors or hospital attendants of women, knowing as the "Nursing Sisters," in the various districts and provinces to care for the victims of cholera in the event of the pestilence becoming prevalent. Orders have also been issued for the medical men of the different provinces to hold meetings at regular intervals and keep watch against the spread of the cholera. A Vienna physician sent to Southeast Hungary to report on the progress of the malady, says the epidemic is spreading rapidly in that region. At Peterwardein it is especially virulent. The villages of Zalosze and Eudoynge, in Galicia, have been isolated.

THE FRENCH CRISIS.

"All Honest Men" on the Ministerial Benches, But They Tried to "Run With the Hare and Hunt With the Hounds."

NEW YORK, April 2.—The Herald's Paris cable says: The cabinet crisis so long expected came on Friday. By a singular chance the Ministry was overthrown by a vote of the Extreme Left, which has always supported it. Clemenceau believed a Ministerial majority to be so well assured that he decided to make a manifestation of independence in order to respond to the current rumor that he would be the Government candidate at the next election. The result of this course was the involuntary fall of the Ministry. The position of the Cabinet had become untenable. Nobody thinks of doubting the honesty of the fallen ministers, taken individually. They were honest men, but they had given proof of notorious incompetency during their term of office.

They tried to "run with the hare and hunt with the hounds" at a time when an energetic initiative was necessary. The truth is the ministers fell because they did not know how to choose between the entire suppression of the Panama affair demanded by the opposition and the hushing up that was considered necessary by the supporters of Government principles. As a matter of fact the Radicals lose Bourgeois, who, at one time, seemed called upon to play a prominent political part, and France loses Ribot, who rendered good service as Foreign Minister. He worked hard for the Franco-Russian alliance. For the moment Ribot is strongly criticized, but the time will come when justice will be rendered to him as a faithful servant of his country.

The result of the crisis is difficult to predict. Though Carnot intrusted Meline with the formation of a cabinet, the Chamber desires Constans because of his known energy and his power to run elections as desired by obliging the electors to vote for the government candidates. This, of course, is what the present deputies wished; in short, the crisis and uneasiness will last as long as the present Chamber exists. The situation of the country requires a change of men to direct her destinies.

PAINTERS' STRIKE SETTLED.

The Superintendent Secures Men and Guarantees Them Higher Pay Than Had Been Demanded.

CHICAGO, April 3.—The painters' strike at the World's Fair grounds was settled in a very peculiar manner this morning. Superintendent of Painting Allen called the 150 striking painters together, and asked all those who were willing to work for 35 cents an hour to step to one side. One hundred and twenty-five men did this, the others being dismissed. Mr. Allen then said to those remaining: "Just to show you men that the exposition authorities propose to do well by you, I want to announce that we will pay you 45 cents an hour. That is 5 cents an hour more than you asked for when you went out.

MERCHANT CAPTAINS FIGHT.

Representatives of France and Germany Have It Out With Pistols—Neither Injured.

PARIS, April 2.—Captain Servan, of the French merchant marine, and Captain Dietsch, of the German merchant marine, fought a pistol duel to day. Each fired three times and neither was injured. The captains had quarreled at Laguayra concerning the place of anchorage. Dietsch used violent language, and when subsequently he met Servan in Havre he accepted a challenge. Dietsch took his steamer to Hamburg and returned to give Servan satisfaction.

Idaho's Sensation.

BOISE, April 3.—The Ada county grand jury reported to-day and was discharged. In regard to the legislative bribery case the report says:

"We have examined the charges of bribery against members of the second legislative assembly of the state of Idaho, preferred by Governor McConnell, March 8, 1893, in a private letter to District Attorney Hayes, and to which our attention was called by your honor in your charge to us on the 14th inst. We report that said charges have not been sustained by the testimony adduced before us with that certainty necessary either to find an indictment or to convict before a trial by jury. Although every effort has been offered by this court to reach the witnesses in the case from a great distance and at a great cost, as well as all obtainable evidence nearer home, we find that a criminal charge can be easily brought, but, in this instance at least, it would be hard to prove, for the reason that witnesses familiar with the facts, and whose evidence would have been conclusive, perhaps, upon the case, if they could have been compelled to testify without criminating themselves, refused to testify."

PERSONAL.

Wm. Allen, of Seattle, is at the Oriental.

H. Hardy, of New York, is at the Driard.

Mrs. R. Broderick is back from California.

Detective J. Kellert, of Montreal, is at the Driard.

J. M. Lamb, of Winnipeg, is registered at the Driard.

F. Campbell returned from the Sound last evening.

Mrs. Erb and daughters have returned from California.

L. G. McPhillips, barrister, of Vancouver, is staying at the Driard.

J. W. Dawson and family, of Chemainus, were at the Oriental on Sunday.

T. R. McD. Russell, a prominent Vancouverite, is registered at the Driard.

C. P. Mallay and H. P. Chamberlin, of Seattle, are staying at the Driard.

O. G. Harkelty, of St. John, N. B., arrived in the city yesterday and is at the Oriental.

C. Strouss has arrived home from California. He was a passenger North by the Umatilla.

James Orr, ex-M.P.P., of Westminster, came over Sunday evening and is a guest at the Oriental.

E. V. Bodwell and E. Mohun were homebound passengers by the Mainland boat Sunday evening.

Frank Lascelles has returned from a trip through the Upper country and is staying at the Victoria.

H. C. Wilbur, Kingston, Ont.; Thomas McEwen, Louisville, and R. V. Cooper, Vancouver, are staying at the Victoria.

Hon. J. H. Turner, minister of finance and agriculture, leaves for the East in the course of a few weeks on a business trip.

F. H. Schulze, general agent of the New York Maritime Register, is in the city on a business trip. He is a guest at the Hotel Victoria.

Horace G. Whitney, a business man of Cleveland, Ohio, and nephew of Deputy Speaker Bergeron of the House of Commons, spent Sunday in Victoria.

Richard Cooper, formerly of Berteaux & Co, Vancouver, returned yesterday from California on the Umatilla and left by the Islander for the Terminal City.

Rev. J. E. Coombs left for Tacoma last evening to attend the meeting there of the Baptist Home Mission board. He will be in New Westminster on Wednesday and Vancouver on Thursday, returning home Saturday.

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	Tons.
1—Bark Wilna, San Pedro	2,353
1—Str. Pioneer, Port Townsend	25
4—Str. Wanderer, Port Townsend	34
5—Str. Haytian Republic, Portland	120
6—Str. Mogul, Port Townsend	44
7—Str. Romulus, San Diego	4,107
7—Str. Holyoke, Port Townsend	26
7—Bark Coryphene, San Francisco	1,119
9—Str. Sea Lion, Port Townsend	22
9—Str. Tacoma, Port Townsend	28
10—Str. Tyee, Port Townsend	104
10—Ship Kennebec, San Pedro	3,295
13—Str. Mogul, Port Townsend	35
13—Str. Sea Lion, Port Townsend	43
14—Str. Montserrat, San Francisco	1,485
16—Str. Bawnmore, San Francisco	2,967
18—Str. Grandholm, San Francisco	1,626
20—Bark Genl. Fairchild, San Francisco	2,375
20—Str. Mogul, Port Townsend	27
21—Str. Tacoma, Port Townsend	46
21—Str. Pioneer, Port Townsend	36
22—Ship Occidental, Gunalaska	2,413
23—Bark Carrolton, San Pedro	2,364
23—Str. Mogul, Port Townsend	29
24—Ship Louis Walsh, San Francisco	2,276
26—Str. Pioneer, Port Townsend	21
27—Str. Tacoma, Port Townsend	35
28—Str. Montserrat, San Francisco	1,430
30—SS. Romulus, San Diego	3,998
30—SS. Haytian Republic, Portland	125
Total	32,607

WELLINGTON.

1—Ship Big Bonanza, San Pedro	2,310
6—SS. City of Topeka, Sitka	300
6—SS. Haytian Republic, Roche Harbor	400
7—SS. Wellington, San Francisco	2,600
8—SS. Costa Rica, San Francisco	2,480
10—Discovery, Port Townsend	30
16—Ship Sergeant, San Francisco	2,500
20—SS. Wellington, San Francisco	2,600
20—Bark Gatherer, San Francisco	2,310
20—SS. Topeka, Sitka	350
25—Ship Alex. McNeil, San Francisco	1,780
27—SS. Costa Rica, San Francisco	2,500
27—SS. Crescent City, Mary Island	100
30—SS. Chilcat, Mary Island	34
30—Haytian Republic, Blaine	300
30—SS. Walla Walla, Seattle	1,200
31—City of Topeka, Port Townsend	385
Total	22,130

EAST WELLINGTON SHIPPING CO.

7—Ship Guardian, San Francisco	1556
29—SS. Empire, San Francisco	954
30—SS. Empire, San Francisco	935
Total	3,445

UNION SHIPPING CO.

1—SS. San Mateo, San Pedro	4,200
17—SS. Walla Walla, Seattle	1,038
17—SS. Umatilla, Seattle	1,263
17—SS. Jeanie, San Francisco	1,187
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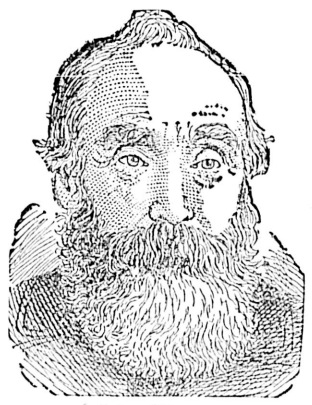

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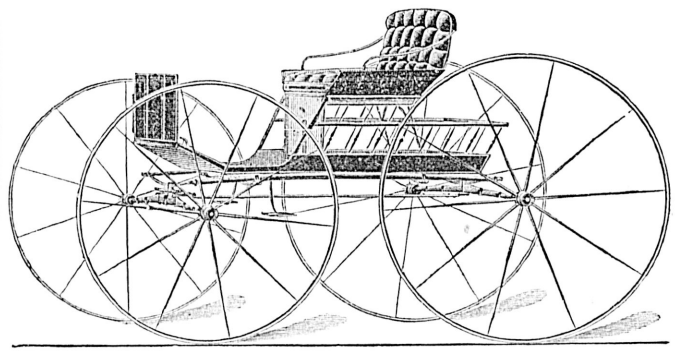

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